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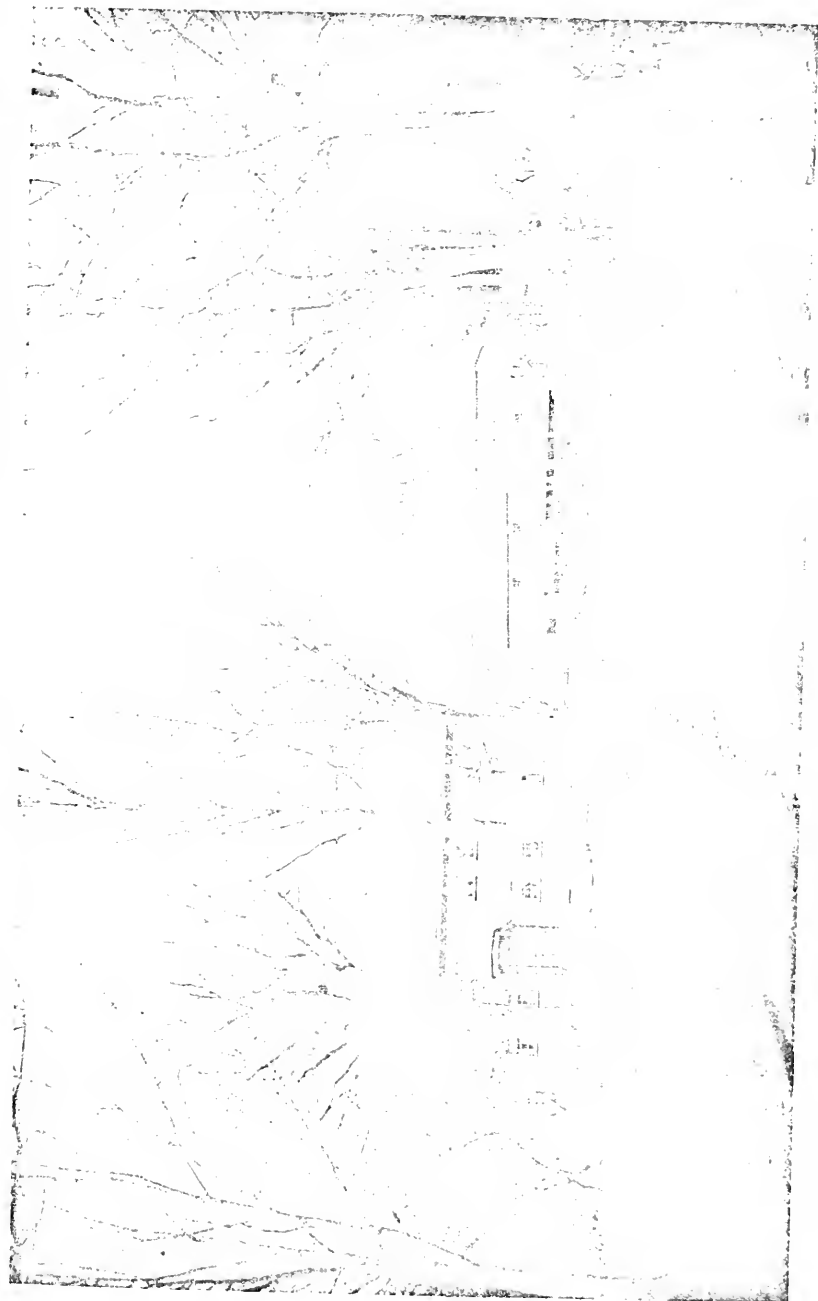
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THE ALLEN HOMESTEAD, MEDFIELD, MASS.

GENEALOGICAL AND HISTORICAL SKETCHES

OF THE

ALLEN FAMILY

OF

DEDHAM AND MEDFIELD, MASS.,

1637-1890.

"Which we have heard and known, and our fathers have told us, We will not hide them from their children That the generation to come might know them."

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P R E F A C E.

THIS work was commenced for my own gratification and pleasure, and without a thought of publication; but I have been induced to have a few copies privately printed at the request of others of the family who have manifested an interest in it, and who, like myself, feel a reverence for ancestral connections. In regard to the ancestry of Samuel Allen in the old world we know but little, except that he and his two brothers, Matthew and Thomas, came from Braintree, Essex County, England, in 1632. It is to be hoped that future researches will throw light upon this point.

The system of arrangement adopted is that used in the "New-England Historical and Genealogical Register." Suppose we wish to find the record of Capt. Noah Allen. The first thing to be done is to look in the Index under that name. We there find that Capt. Noah Allen appears on page 13. Turning to that page we see his name and his record, his pedigree being put down thus:—19. Capt. NOAH⁵ (*Joseph*,⁴ *Samuel*,³ *John*,² *Samuel*¹), b. in East Windsor, &c. This shows at a glance the pedigree of Capt. Noah Allen. He is the fifth generation from Samuel Allen the emigrant. He is the son of Joseph, the grandson of Samuel, the great-grandson of John, and the great-great-grandson of Samuel the emigrant. Now if we wish to find the birth and parentage of Capt. Noah Allen's father, we turn back to No. 19, which we find in small figures at the left hand, near the middle of page 9, and at the head of this family we find 8. JOSEPH,⁴ his father, whose birth and parentage are found in

the same way. Proceeding in this manner we arrive finally at his great-great-grandfather, Samuel,¹ the original emigrant.

The following abbreviations, in addition to the usual ones of the names of States and of the months, have been used:—b. born; m. married; d. died; unm. unmarried; dau. daughter; bapt. baptized.

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The compiler wishes it distinctly understood that he does not regard this book as containing a complete genealogy of the descendants of Samuel Allen, Senior, and he has no doubt that it contains many errors. He desires that these imperfections may be removed. He requests that any one examining this book who detects any error, however trivial, or notices any omission which he can supply, to communicate the information to him without delay, because that which is deferred is apt to be neglected until it is forgotten. Any information thus communicated will not be lost, as the compiler hopes to publish a new and enlarged edition.

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EAST BOSTON. MASS.,

Nov. 1876.

ation. On page 15, we find 3. JOSEPH², son *James*¹ (1); the figure in parenthesis indicates the number of the paragraph containing particulars of the person after whose name it occurs.

When no State is given, the city or town is understood to be in Massachusetts.

The plate for our frontispiece was kindly furnished by the Allen brothers, the present owners of the homestead. The house has undergone some changes since it was erected in 1673-4 at the time of, or soon after, the marriage of its original owner. It was standing in the early part of 1675-6, as was the cooper's shop close by, at which time the Indians attempted its destruction by fire—see paragraph 3, page 15, for fuller particulars of this affair. The house was similar in style to those of its day, and at the latter part of the last century consisted of two stories with a large chimney in the centre, the only ornament being a Doric scroll over the front door. In our present illustration the two windows to the left of the front door are in a room added to the house in 1814. The room having two windows to the right of the door was built about 1787, and has been the scene of many weddings. To the right of this is a smaller room with one front window, still older, and directly in its rear is the room where the Indians started the fire. The homestead is now occupied by Mr. Joseph Addison Allen (one of the three owners), of the seventh generation of Allens born there, the place never having been out of possession of the family.

Before closing these few introductory remarks the compiler desires to express his thanks to the several members of the family who have so cheerfully rendered him assistance, knowing, that without their aid much valuable material must have been omitted.

FRANK ALLEN HUTCHINSON.

LOWELL, May, 1896.

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INTRODUCTION.

The name *Allin* or *Allen* is derived from the British and thought to be a corruption of *Ælinus*, which signifies sun-bright. In the Gaelic we have *Aliune*, signifying fair, handsome, etc., while the Irish *Alun* denotes fair, beautiful*, and the English *Allan* or *Allen*, all-winning, all-conquering†.

The name in the form *Allan* appears but once in Walford's "County Families," and then in Devonshire, while the form *Allen* is of frequent occurrence.

The family in which we are interested appears to have located in the parish of Colby, Norfolk, England, where we find in the latter part of the 16th century one Reginald Allin, an extensive land owner. At the time of his son John's matriculation at Caius College, Cambridge, in 1612, he is styled "Gentleman," but in his will, proved at the Consistory Court of the Bishop of Norwich, 27 Jan., 1615-6, he is called "yoeman." In this will he refers to the fact of having received certain lands in Colby "from Richard Allin, my father." We have been unable to fully identify this Richard, though we have record of the will of one Richard Allin dated 27 Feb., 1558, and proved in the Consistory Court of the Bishop of Norwich, 18 May, 1559, but unfortunately his residence is not given. He mentions son John "the elder," to whom he leaves house and land, daughter Johan and sons Robert and Richard. He may have been the grandfather of Reginald, but certainly not his father, for Reginald was not married until about 1583-4, and assuming that he was then twenty-five years of age would make his birth about 1559. He is not mentioned in Richard's will, and to have received land from him he must have been of age previous to 1559, which would make him forty or more years old at time of marriage.

The following data is taken from a copy of the Colby parish register‡, which begins in 1552:

- 1556. Gregorie Allin, buried 10 Dec.
- 1562. Nicholas Allin, baptized 13 March.
- 1565. Jacobus Allin, baptized 28 July.
- 1571. Maria Allin, baptized 10 June.
- 1574. John Allin, buried 10 March.
- 1577. Wm. Beeles and Margareta Allin married 28 July.

* Dictionary of Family and Christian Names, by Wilham Arthur.

† Dixon's Surnames.

‡ The copy of this register — in so far as it relates to the Allins — I found in the library of the Dedham Hist. Society, Dedham, Mass.

1584. Nicholas, son of ——— Allin, baptized 12 Jan.
 1589. Henry Gilbert and Lucia Allin married 23 March.
 1590. Thomas Wymore and Joan Allin married 13 Sept.
 1594. Richard Allin and Isabella Dorrant married 25 July.
 1623. Margoria, daughter of Robert Allin, baptized 9 August.

The following children of Robert Allin are recorded :

- Margareta, baptized 23 Oct., 1576.
 Robertus, baptized 16 Dec., 1579.

The following children of John Allin :

- Amphilus, baptized 20 Feb., 1586; buried 25 Jan., 1588.
 Richard, baptized 21 Sept., 1589; buried 28 Dec., 1589.
 Robert, baptized 1 April, 1593.

The following children of Thomas Allin :

- Thomas, baptized 4 Sept., 1575.
 John, baptized 7 April, 1577.
 Sara, baptized 31 Oct., 1581, "daughter of Thomas and Joan."
 Elizabeth, baptized 7 July, 1585.

[The above four children are recorded in the register of Dedham, Essex. The following in the Colby register.]

- Henry, baptized 28 Jan., 1589.
 Lydia, baptized 22 March, 1593.
 Ellin, baptized 22 April, 1596.

Reginald Allin of Colby, Norfolk, England, is the earliest to whom we can trace. He was a son of Richard Allin and was probably born about 1559. He appears to have been a man of substance, owning land in seven parishes and two counties*. He was buried in Colby, 9 Nov., 1615, his will being proved in the Consistory Court of the Bishop of Norwich, 27 Jan., 1615-6, and was witnessed by a James Allen. The will mentions his wife, Margoria, and most of their children, as will appear presently. The following children are recorded in the Colby register :

- i. Anna, baptized 25 March, 1584, mentioned in her father's will as wife of Simon Toll.
- ii. Grace, baptized 25 July, 1587, mentioned as wife of Vincent Porter in her father's will.
- iii. Em. baptized 25 Dec., 1588.
- iv. Richard, baptized 8 Feb., 1589, mentioned in his father's will as "my eldest son" to have with "Stephen Allin, my third son." certain lands in Colby, "which I had from Richard Allen, my father." The Colby register gives the following child of Richard:
 Reginald, baptized 8 Sept., 1615.
- iv. Francis, baptized 16 June, 1591, mentioned in his father's will as "my second son."
- v. Stephen, baptized 3 Feb., 1593, mentioned in his father's will as "my third son," and besides the share in the land with his brother Richard, he is to have, "to occupy and use" with his mother, the house and lands until the children "accomplish the age of twenty-three years."

* New Eng. Hist. Gen. Register.

- vii. Dorothea, baptized 30 Aug., 1595, mentioned in the will.
- viii. John, baptized 22 May, 1597, to receive a certain sum at stated periods - towards "maintaining him at college at Cambridge." He was the first pastor of the church in Dedham, Mass. *
- ix. Elizabeth, baptized 6 Jan., 1598, mentioned in her father's will.
- x. William, baptized 12 March, 1600, and probably the "child of Reginald Allin;" buried 13 March, 1600.
- xi. Robert, baptized 6 Feb., 1603, mentioned in father's will.
- xii. Edward, baptized 6 Feb., 1603, mentioned in father's will.
- xiii. Margoria, baptized 2 Aug., 1606; by her father's will she was to receive "in consideration of 40 shillings given unto me for her by her god-father, Thurston, many years past, five pounds."

The connection between our ancestor — James Allin of Medfield — and the foregoing family is based upon the following clause in the will of Rev. John Allin of Dedham, Mass., who was a son of Reginald Allin of Colby: "To my Cozen James Allin of Medfield twenty shilling to be delivered to him in Country paynt. * * * within three months after my decease." This will was dated 23 Aug., 1671, and from contemporary sources we shall see that the term *cousin* was synonymous with nephew, in support of which statement I cite the following: — Robert Eames died in Dracut, Mass., about 1671 and by will bequeathed certain property to "my cousin Richard, son of my sister Dorothy Newman," etc. †; also, the Rev. Thomas Parker of Newbury, Mass., had for an assistant one John Woodbridge, whom we know to have been his nephew; yet, in a deposition sworn to in the court in Ipswich, and dated 30 March, 1669, we read — "Afterwards Mr. Parker expressed thus — Those that are for the continuance of my cousin Woodbridge in the way of preaching as formerly he hath done," etc. ‡ The connection being thus established it remains only to ascertain which of Reginald's sons was father of our ancestor, and doubtless a search in the parish registers in the vicinity of Colby would show the missing link of our genealogical chain.

We also find one Robert Allin in Dedham, whom the Rev. John Allin calls a "near kinsman" in his will already noted. He was admitted to the church in Dedham in February, 1667, made free 31 May, 1671, and d. in Dedham, 22 Sept., 1690. He was unmarried, as the following extracts from the Dedham records will show:

25 August, 1663, "Robt Allin is allowed to sorjune at John Bacons."

14 April, 1669, "Robert Allin engage to giue further account when he is agreed where to sojourne."

In 1663 he was taxed 3s. 4d. in the country rate and the same the next year. His name appears in the list of legal votes for 1666.

* See Appendix A.

† Farmer's General Register of Early Settlers — See Eames.

‡ Coffin's Hist. Newbury, Mass. — p. 75.

Before proceeding with the main genealogy we will devote a few lines to the consideration of the almost universal tradition in our family, that the Allens are of Scotch origin. As will appear presently, our emigrant ancestor, James Allin, was married in Dedham, Mass., in 1638, to Ann Guild, who *came from Scotland* with her two brothers, John and Samuel, in 1637-8. Here, then, is the foundation for our tradition; we have already seen that the Allins were residing in Colby for nearly a century before the appearance of the name in America.

THE ALLEN FAMILY.

1. JAMES¹ ALLIN was a grandson of Reginald Allin of Colby, Norfolk, England, and probably came to Dedham with his uncle, the Rev. John Allin, about 1637. He is first mentioned in the records of that town under date 6 Apr., 1638, when —

James Allin accepted to have six acres layd out for him in y^t corner by Jeffery Myngey yf ther it may be fownd fit.

He received other grants at various times; was admitted to the church 2 Oct., 1646, and made free 26 May, 1647. In 1648 his estate was valued at £2, his tax for that year amounting to 3s. 5d. From a vote of the selectmen in February, 1650, we learn —

Lief Fisher is deputed to treate wth Joshua Kente & conclude wth him for the beateing of the Drume: he is desired to put the Deacons in minde to put the worke that James Allen now [] into the hands of the said Joshua [] that he may carefully attend the shutting the meeting-house doores & the keepeing out of the doggs.

In 1649 some of the inhabitants of Dedham formed a company for the purpose of beginning a settlement at Boggestow, upon the Charles river, now known as Medfield. James Allin was one of the first thirteen proprietors of the new town and the fifth to be granted land. The affairs of the infant settlement were at first conducted by a committee, who, 19 June, 1650, laid out the thirteen house-lots and in their records we read: —

5. To James Allen, seven acres abutting upon the waste lands upon all the sides there of round about.*

This lot was on South st near the present residence of Mr. Rhodes. In the town valuation for 1652 we find the following: †

JAMES ALLIN — HIS ESTATE.

psons 8	-	-	-	-	-	80	o	o
Howse	-	-	-	-	-	20	o	o
acres br: 5½	-	-	-	-	-	22	o	o
unbro: ac ½	-	-	-	-	-	3	o	o
Cows 2	-	-	-	-	-	12	o	o
yearl 1	-	-	-	-	-	2	o	o
sume	-	-	-	-	-	137	o	o

* Tilden's H st. Medfield, p. 43.

† Ibid. p. 53.

About 1653 he was granted land as follows :

Meadfield granteth to James Alin six Acres of Upland that lieth on the north plaine Abutting toward the west on Stony Winter Brook, against the lands of Thomas Wight, and on the waste lands on all other parts.

Hen Adams.

This grant was near the house-lot of his son Joseph. He received other grants at subsequent times and owned land on both sides of the river. His will* was dated 23 Sept., 1676, in which he gives house, barn, etc., to his son-in-law, Joseph Clark, from which fact it is believed he owned two places, having given the homestead to his son Nathaniel, who is known to have lived in the estate on South street. James m. in Dedham 16 Mch., 1638, Ann Guild, who d. in Medfield 29 Mch., 1673; he d. there 27 Sept., 1676. Ch. all born in Dedham except the youngest.

i. JOHN, b. 4 Dec., 1639; bapt. 11 Oct., 1646; said to have never married; d. 3 July, 1696.

ii. MARTHA, }
iii. MARY, } b. 11 Dec., 1641; bapt. 11 Oct., 1646.

Martha, m. 22 Dec., 1663, William Sabin of Rehoboth, who d. in 1687, by whom she had 8 children.

Mary, m. 25 June, 1663, Joseph, s. of Joseph and Alice Clark, b. in Dedham 27 July, 1642; d. in Medfield 1702; she d. there

Ch.:—1. *Joseph*, b. 14 June, 1664.
2. *John*, b. 31 May, 1666. 3. *Jonathan*, b. 14 Mch., 1668.
4. *Esther*, b. 12 Mch., 1670. 5. *Thomas*, b. 6 Aug., 1672.
6. *Mary*, b. 26 May, 1674. 7. *Daniel*, b. 17 Mch., 1676.
8. *Lea*, b. 17 Mch., 1676. 9. *Solomon*, b. 8 July, 1678.
10. *David*, b. 2 Sept., 1680; d. 1680. 11. *Moses*, b. 2 July, 1685.
12. *Aaron*, b. 2 July, 1685.

iv. SARAH, b. 4 May, 1644; bapt. 11 Oct., 1646; m. 15 Jan., 1666, Domingo White of Lynn. She is mentioned in her father's will as "my Daughter Sarah Whit, Wiffe to Domingo Whit of Lin." She d. in Medfield 1715. Ch.:—1. *John*, b. 25 Oct., 1668. 2. *Sarah*, b. 19 Aug., 1672. 3. *Mary*, b. 31 Aug., 1675. 4. *Joseph*, b. 25 May, 1678; d. in 3 days. 5. *Hannah*, b. 5 Dec., 1679.

v. JAMES, b. 28 Apr., 1646; bapt. 11 Oct., 1646; resided in Medfield, and his house was burned by the Indians in Feb., 1675-6, his name appearing among those who petition the General Court—23 May, 1677—to withhold assessing them "in the next rate." He m. 12 Dec., 1673, Lydia, dau. Edward and Lydia (Rockwood?) Adams, and d. 1691, s. p. His widow m. Joseph Daniels.

2. vi. NATHANIEL², b. 29 Aug., 1648; bapt. 3 Sept., 1648.

3. vii. JOSEPH², b. in Medfield 24 June, 1652.

2 NATHANIEL², son *James*¹ (1) b. in Dedham, 2 1648;
resided in Medfield on the original homestead outh street

* See Appendix B.

† Hist. Medfield, p. 295.

‡ Savage's Genealogical Dictionary.

and received various legacies by his father's will. He m. 1st in Apr., 1674, Mary, dau. of William Sabin, of Rehoboth, b. 23 May, 1652; d. 24 Feb., 1674; m. 2dly in Boston by Gov. Leverett, 10 Apr., 1677, Mary Frizzell, who d. in Medfield, 18 Mch., 1746; he d. there in 1718. Ch. all born in Medfield.*

- i. SAMUEL, b. 30 Jan., 1674; received a legacy from his grandfather Sabin, and was living in 1718.
 - ii. NATHANIEL, b. 23 Mch., 1678; was never married and resided on his father's homestead, which he gave, at his death, to Abijah Baker, who married his niece. He d. 21 Apr., 1760.
 4. iii. JAMES³, b. 6 Feb., 1679.
 - iv. JOHN, b. 1 July, 1682; settled in the southerly part of the town on the estate now owned by the Bonney Bros. He was surveyor in 1714; m. 6 Dec., 1709, Mehitable, dau. of Josiah and Mary (Twichell) Rockwood, b. 1686; d. 1763; he d. 19 Feb., 1751, s. p. His widow m. in 1755 Samuel Clark.
 - v. MARY, b. 22 May, 1685; m. 17 Feb., 1725, Zechariah Barber, who d. 1746; m. 2dly William Mann of Wrentham. By 1st husband she had:—1. *Zechariah*, b. 1719. 2. *Deborah*, b. 1720. 3. *Elisha*, b. 1722.
 - vi. ANN, b. 6 June, 1687; m. 1719, Ebenezer Hill of Wrentham, Ch:—1. *Jobe*, b. 9 Apr., 1720. 2. *Esther*, b. 31 Oct., 1722. 3. *Noah*, b. 12 Oct., 1724. 4. *Ann*, b. 20 July, 1726. 5. *Ephraim*, and 6. *Mary*, b. 10 July, 1731.
 5. vii. EBENEZER³, b. 25 Sept., 1694.
 - viii. SARAH, b. 4 May, 1697; d. 16 Feb., 1698.
 - ix. BENJAMIN, b. 11 June, 1701, sold his inheritance to his brother John and settled in Lambstown, Worcester county.
3. JOSEPH², son James¹(1) b. in Medfield, 24 June, 1652, settled in the northern part of the town on Castle Hill, since known as the Allen Place. In 1673 he was granted two lots of land, one between land owned by his father—below Samuel Wight's—and the road leading to "Goodman Morse's;" the other between his father's land and that owned by Samuel Wight, bounded on the east by the highway to Natick.† He was a cooper by trade, his house and shop having been built before King Philip's war. On 21 Feb., 1676, the Indians attempted to burn the town and his house was among the first to receive their attention. According to tradition the savages took shavings from the shop, and piling them upon the kitchen floor, applied the torch. Fortunately they had been placed upon a trap door, which being consumed, let the

Joseph Allen

Hannah Lin

* The main facts relating to this family are taken from Tilden's History of Medfield.

† Hist. Medfield.

burning pile fall into the cellar where the flames were soon extinguished, thus doing no further damage. All of the other houses in this part of the town were destroyed. The 21 Sept., 1676, he received from his father six acres of upland and one acre of meadow, evidently his share in the estate, as his name does not appear in his father's will, dated two days later. His name appears among list of proprietors in 1675 and 1701. He was made free 11 Oct., 1682; sealer of weights and measures in 1688, and admitted with his wife to the first parish in 1697³. He m. in Seakonk (Rehoboth), 10 Nov., 1673, Hannah, dau. of William Sabin, b. there 22 Oct., 1654; d. in Medfield 1730³; he d. there 14 Jan., 1703. Ch. all b. in Medfield.

6. i. JOSEPH³, b. 19 Dec., 1676.
 - ii. HANNAH, b. 23 June, 1679; m. 18 Apr., 1705, Benoni Twichell. Ch. recorded in Medfield. 1. *Seth*, b. 1711. 2. *Hannah*, b. 1713.
 - iii. DANIEL, b. 21 Apr., 1681, settled in Pomfret, Conn., on land given by his father at a place called "Massamoquit," near Woodstock. The 2 June, 1735, he discharged all claim to his father's estate to his brother Noah.
 - iv. DAVID, b. 22 Mch., 1683, settled in Ashford, Conn., and had a share in the land at "Massamoquit."
7. v. NOAH³, b. 21 Apr., 1685.
8. vi. ELEAZER³, b. 25 Aug., 1688.
9. vii. JEREMIAH, b. 5 Aug., 1690, was killed by Indians.
9. viii. HEZEKIAH³, b. 3 Nov., 1692.
 - ix. ABIGAIL, b. 24 Oct., 1694; m. in Dedham 8 Aug., 1717, Ebenezer Battle and d. there 1 Apr., 1759. Ch. b. in Dedham. 1. *Hannah*, b. 26 Oct., 1719; d. 17 Dec., 1719. 2. *Abigail*, b. 31 Mch., 1721. 3. *Hannah*, b. 31 May, 1723. 4. *Mary*, b. 12 July, 1725. 5. *Ebenezer*, b. 10 Jan., 1729-30.
10. x. NEHEMIAH³, b. 22 Apr., 1699.

NOTE—There were two daughters, Thankful and Mary, who probably died young, as their names do not appear in the town books.

4. JAMES³, son *Nathaniel*² (2) b. in Medfield 6 Feb., 1679, settled on the west side of the river on land received from his father; was one of the incorporators of Medway in 1713. He m. in 1709 Rebecca, dau. Isaac and Rebecca (Crafts) Turner; he d. 1739. Ch., first two b. in Medfield, others in Medway.
 - i. JAMES, b. 29 Oct., 1710.
 - ii. JOHN⁴, b. 23 Aug., 1712.
 - iii. SARAH, } b. Nov., 1716.
 - iv. ABIGAIL, }
 - v. REBECCA, b. 17 June, 1719.
5. EBENEZER³, son *Nathaniel*² (2) b. in Medfield 25 Sept., 1694, settled in Medway; m. 1719, Mary Hill. Ch. all b. in Medway.

- i. MARTHA, b. 17 Feb., 1720.
 - ii. ICHABOD, b. 3 June, 1721.
 - iii. MARY, b. 22 July, 1722.
 - iv. RACHEL, b. 1 Nov., 1724.
 - v. SETH, b. 29 Mch., 1726.
 - vi. EBENEZER, b. 13 Aug., 1728. - *Included in vol. 17*
 - vii. RACHEL, b. 19 Jan., 1732.
 - viii. LEAH, b. 16 Jan., 1734.
 - ix. NATHAN, b. 5 Mch., 1736.
 - x. SAMUEL, b. 6 June, 1739.
 - xi. SARAH, b. 27 Mch., 1742.
6. JOSEPH³, son *Joseph*² (3) b. in Medfield 19 Dec., 1676; settled on North street near the Dover line; m. in Medfield 4 Nov., 1701, Miriam, dau. Ephraim and Lydia (Morse) Wight, who d. in Sturbridge 15 Apr., 1746; he d. in Medfield 25 May, 1727. Ch. all b. in Medfield.
12. i. JOSEPH⁴, b. 17 Aug., 1702.
- ii. MIRIAM, b. 27 May, 1704; m. in 1732, Daniel Thurston of Marlboro, afterwards of Sturbridge.* The records of Sturbridge mention the name only once, i e., Daniel, son Daniel and Miriam Thurston, b. 18 Sept., 1737.
- iii. MOSES, b. 20 Sept., 1708; settled in Sturbridge, being one of the first town officers. The records make no mention of marriage or children.
- iv. LYDIA, b. 25 Sept., 1714; m. in Sturbridge 22 Apr., 1744, Jacob Huntley. Ch.:—1. *Jacob*, b. 12 Mch., 1745. 2. *Deborah*, b. 18 Apr., 1746. 3. *Amos*, b. 23 Sept., 1747 [A Lydia Allen m. 18 Apr. 1754. Jonathan Bond. *Sturb. Rec.*]
13. v. AARON⁴, b. 13 Feb., 1715-6.
7. NOAH³, son *Joseph*² (3) b. in Medfield, 21 Apr., 1685, purchased the right of inheritance from his brothers and resided on the homestead, was sealer of weights and measures in 1714. During the latter years of his life he became demented and the management of the farm devolved upon his wife until the sons were old enough to assume control. He m. 25 Mch., 1714, Sarah, dau. of Jonathan Gay of Needham, who d. in 1782; he d. 8 Jan., 1754. Ch. all b. in Medfield.
- i. SARAH, b. 14 Nov., 1714; m. 18 June, 1732, Joshua Boyden and d. in 1742. Ch.:—1. *Lemuel*, b. 18 Aug., 1735. 2. *Asa*, b. 5 May, 1737. 3. *Catherine*, b. 4 Dec., 1738. 4. *Sarah*, b. 22 Oct., 1740. 5. *Micah*, b. 10 Mch., 1741-2.
- ii. THANKFUL, b. 14 Dec., 1717; m. 8 July, 1742, Seth Clark. Ch.:—1. *Sarah*, b. 29 Nov., 1742. 2. *Ebenezer*, b. 5 May, 1745. 3. *Sarah*, b. 17 Mch., 1746-7. 4. *Peter*, b. 7 Sept., 1748. 5. *Rebecca*, b. 16 Dec., 1750. 6. *Oliver*, b. 24 June, 1753. 7. *Sybil*, b. 30 Nov., 1755.
14. iii. NOAH⁴, b. 26 Sept., 1719. —
- iv. JEREMIAH, b. 4 Sept., 1721; d. 20 Nov., 1777.

* Hist. Medfield, p. 297.

15. v. ELIJAH⁴, b. 19 Dec., 1722.
vi. SYBIL, b. 14 Oct., 1724; m. 22 June, 1749. Sylvanus Plimpton and d. in 1753. Ch.:—1. Sarah, b. 8 Jan., 1750. 2. Jonathan, b. 29 Feb., 1752.
16. vii. JONATHAN⁴, b. 20 June, 1726.
8. ELEAZER³, son Joseph² (3) b. in Medfield 25 Aug., 1688; settled in Dedham in the southerly part of the present town of Dover on land purchased by his father for his brother Joseph. He m. in Dedham, 9 July, 1712, Mary, dau. Jonathan and Mary Battelle, b. 11 July, 1694; d. 12 Jan., 1759; he d. 3 Jan., 1759. Ch., all b. in Dedham.
17. i. ELEAZER⁴, b. 27 May, 1713.
18. ii. OBADIAH⁴, b. 27 Sept., 1721.
19. iii. SAMUEL⁴, b. 10 June, 1724.
iv. MARY, [birth not recorded. Hlist. Medfield says she m. in 1734 Samuel Richardson.] The above four children were baptized by Rev. Mr. Baster of Medfield, 24 Apr., 1724.
v. ESTHER, b. 22 May, 1731; m. in 1749 Peletiah Morse, who was an innholder in Natick in 1759. She d. in 1774. Ch.:—1. Esther, b. 1753; 1753. 2. David, b. 1756. 3. Mary, b. 1759.
9. HEZEKIAH³, son Joseph² (3) b. in Medfield 3 Nov., 1692; was a carpenter by trade, residing for a short time in Weston and removing to Dedham about 1723, in which year he was dismissed from the church in Medfield to that in Natick. His share in his father's estate consisted of 53 acres "in y^e North End" of Dedham "Wood Lott;" also one-half of three acres in "North Meadow next his mother's part."* In May, 1725, he leased of his mother 25 acres "lying in Dedham wood lot called the Old Field, bounded north by land of the said Hezekiah and south by land of Elcazer Allen." He was selectman of Dedham in 1748, 1749 and 1750. In 1749 he was chosen one of a committee to procure timber for the new meeting-house (Springfield Parish), which was to be 42 feet long, 34 feet wide and 20 feet high "from y^e ell to y^e top of the plate." The house was built on the easterly side of Trout Brook, in the 3rd precinct, a short distance in the rear of the present Congregational church.† The Allen family occupied seats of prominence in the church and the

Elcazer Allen

Hezekiah Allen

* From original document, dated 31 March, 1725.

† Hlist. Norfolk County, p. 241.

chair used by Mrs. Allen is still in existence and had, at that time, been many years in the family. Hezekiah resided in that part of the town now Dover, owning a large tract of land, near Pegan Hill, extending from Natick to Medfield, and which remained in the family until about 1886. He was buried in the old cemetery in Dover, his grave-stone reading :—

In Memory of
Capt. Hezekiah Allen
Who died August 7^e 16th
1775 Aetatis 83.

Away vain World your joys I hate,
Heaven is my native air;
My friends I bid a short farewell,
Till they shall meet me there.

He m. in Dedham 4 Apr., 1722. Mary, dau. Daniel and Elizabeth Draper, b. in Dedham 5 Nov., 1696; d. 25 Oct., 1775. Ch. all b. in Dedham.

20. i. HEZEKIAH⁴, b. 15 Apr., 1724.
ii. MARY, b. 2 July, 1727.
iii. TIMOTHY, b. 31 Aug., 1729; d. 23 Nov., 1736.
iv. ELIZABETH, b. 7 Aug., 1731; m. Ebenezer Newell—intention of m. 24 Apr., 1753. Ch. :—1. *Elizabeth*, b. 22 Feb., 1754. 2. "*Suze*," b. 15 July, 1755. 3. *Mehitable*, b. 4 Nov., 1757. 4. *Reuben*, b. 14 Jan., 1760. 5. *Mary*, b. 11 Mch., 1762. 6. *Abigail*, b. 24 Nov., 1764. 7. *Olive*, b. 5 Nov., 1766. 8. *George*, b. 20 Mch., 1769.
v. HANNAH, b. 21 Nov., 1733; m. Ebenezer Battelle, intention of m. 15 Aug., 1752. Ch. :—1. *Hannah*, b. 25 Dec., 1753. 2. *Ebenezer*, b. 2 Dec., 1755. 3. *Hezekiah*, b. 12 Jan., 1758. 4. *Jonathan*, b. 17 Nov., 1761. 5. *Abigail*, b. 28 Jan., 1764.
vi. MEHITABLE, b. 30 Apr., 1736.
vii. ABIGAIL, b. 22 Mch., 1741-2; m. 17 May, 1773, Ebenezer Newell, and had *Joseph*, b. 20 May, 1774.

10. NEHEMIAH³, son *Joseph*² (3), b. in Medfield 22 Apr., 1699; sold his right of inheritance to his brother Noah and settled first in Sherburne, removing to Sturbridge about 1745. He m. about 1722 Mary Parker, who d. in Sturbridge 27 Jan., 1771; he d. there 1 Nov., 1785. Ch. b. in Sherburne.*

- i. TIMOTHY, b. 5 Sept., 1723; d. young.
ii. NEHEMIAH, b. 22 July, 1724; d. young.
iii. HANNAH, b. 29 July, 1725.
21. iv. ELIPHALET⁴, b. 24 Aug., 1727.
v. NEHEMIAH, 17 Oct., 1729.
22. vi. JOHN⁴, b. 13 Feb., 1731-2.
23. vii. JACOB⁴, b. 24 Feb., 1733-4.
24. viii. ABEL⁴, b. 20 Feb., 1735-6.
ix. MARY, b. 16 Apr., 1738.

*Morse's Genealogies of Sherburne.

- x. DAVID, b. 23 Dec., 1739; m. in Sturbridge, 10 Mch., 1763, Experience Streeter of Charlton,* but no record of children in Sturbridge.
- xi. ABIGAIL, b. 23 Dec., 1741; m. 15 Mch., 1764, Aaron Allen of Sturbridge. See No 29.
25. xii. TIMOTHY⁴, b. in Sturbridge 25 Mch., 1744.†
26. xiii. ABNER¹, b. 22 Aug., 1746.
11. JOHN⁴, son *James*³ (4) b. in that portion of Medfield afterwards set off as Medway, 23 Aug., 1712. He was his uncle John's heir and removed to Medfield after 1751. He m. Huldah Hill, who d. in Medfield 14 Aug., 1798; he d. there 1 Sept., 1778. Ch. :—first three b. in Medway; others in Medfield.
- i. JESSE, b. 21 Oct., 1744.
- ii. JOHN, b.
- iii. HANNAH, b. 1751; d. in Medfield 11 Jan., 1767.
- iv. ELIAKIM, b. in Medfield 23 Feb., 1754. Having lost an arm and thus being incapacitated for active work, he received assistance from the town at various times, and in 1795 he was granted "half an acre of land in Wheeler's Bottom adjoining the church lot, for a house spot and garden."† He m. 2 Apr., 1779, Mary Johnson of Franklin, who d. 6 Aug., 1823, ae. 71; he d. 17 July, 1819, ae. 65.
27. v. JAMES⁵, b. 13 Aug., 1756.
- vi. MARY, b. 3 Mch., 1759; d. 8 Apr., 1821, unmarried.
28. vii. AMOS⁵, b. 6 June, 1761.
- viii. FINIS, b. 12 Aug., 1765; d. 3 Apr., 1821, unmarried.
12. JOSEPH⁴, son *Joseph*³ (6) b. in Medfield 17 Aug., 1702; inherited his father's estate, which he sold about 1738, as in that year he was dismissed to the church in Sturbridge and became one of the first town officers. He m. 1st Abigail Gold, who d. 25 Feb., 1726-7; m. 2dly 28 Dec., 1727, Sarah Parker. Ch. all b. in Medfield.
- i. ABIGAIL, b. 20 Feb. 1726-7; m. in Sturbridge 1 Nov., 1743, John Stacy, Jr. Ch. :—1. *Amos*, b. 14 Aug. 1744-5.† 2. *Sarah*, b. 26 May, 1747. 3. *Mary*, b. 24 Sept., 1748. 4. *Abigail*, 5 Mch., 1750. [Sturb. Rec. give m. "Widow Abigail Stacy and David Smith 19 Apr., 1768."]
- ii. ASA, b. 18 Feb., 1728-9.
- iii. AZUBA, b. 24 Feb., 1730-1; d. 5 Mch., 1730-1.
- iv. OLIVE, b. 2 Apr., 1732.
- v. JOSEPH, b. 6 July, 1734.
13. AARON⁴, son *Joseph*³ (6) b. in Medfield 13 Feb., 1715-6; settled in Sturbridge, though it is asserted that he resided first in Dedham—and the records of that town give m. of "Aaron Allen and Hannah Morse,—both of Dedham," 6 Dec., 1733. An Aaron A. d. in Dedham Mch., 1754,

* Sturbridge records.

† Hist. Medfield.

‡ So recorded in Sturbridge records.

11. 12. 13. 14. 15. 16. 17. 18. 19. 20. 21. 22. 23. 24. 25. 26. 27. 28. 29. 30. 31. 32. 33. 34. 35. 36. 37. 38. 39. 40. 41. 42. 43. 44. 45. 46. 47. 48. 49. 50. 51. 52. 53. 54. 55. 56. 57. 58. 59. 60.

and Hannah, "widow of Aaron," d. there 27 July, 1777. The Sturbridge records give death of Hannah, wife of Aaron Allen, 17 Aug., 1778, and he m. 2dly 4 June, 1779, Deborah, wid. of Daniel Plimpton, who d. 20 Feb., 1787; he d. in Sturbridge 3 May, 1794, at 79. Ch.* recorded in Sturbridge records.

29. i. AARON⁵, b. 22 Aug., 1739-40.
30. ii. SIMEON⁵, b. 26 June, 1741 2.
- iii. ELIZABETH⁵, b. 29 Mch., 1743; m. John Allen. See No 22.
- iv. THANKFUL, b. 29 June, 1745; d. 3 May, 1759.
- v. PRUDENCE, b. 1 Dec., 1747.
- vi. REUBEN, b. 12 Nov., 1749; d. 5 Dec., 1754.
31. vii. ITHAMAR⁵, b. 9 Oct., 1751.
- viii. JOEL, b. 28 Oct., 1753; d. 27 Aug., 1754.
32. ix. CALEB⁵, b. 25 June, 1755.
- x. AMASA, b. 27 Sept., 1757; d. 26 Oct., 1759.
33. xi. ELISHA⁵, b. 20 Nov., 1759.
- xii. HANNAH, b. 29 Sept., 1762; d. 27 Oct., 1762.

14. NOAH⁴, son Noah³ (7) b. in Medfield, 26 Apr., 1719; inherited the homestead on Castle Hill; was selectman in 1766, 1767 and 1775. He was a man of large frame and possessed of great strength. "a stalwart wrestler and a formidable antagonist." At one time in a tug of war with a pair of farm-horses attached to the end of a new cart rope, and bracing himself against the side of the barn, the rope broke asunder and the contest was declared a draw. He held a king's commission as lieutenant in the colonial militia.† He m. 1st, Miriam Fisher, who d. 23 June, 1757; m. 2dly, 23 Dec., 1757, Abigail Ellis, who d. 23 July, 1764; m. 3dly, 23 Jan., 1766, Sybil (Clark), widow of Elisha Smith; she d. 1 Oct., 1807; Noah d. 23 Mch., 1804. Ch. all b. in Medfield.

Noah Allen

34. i. ASAH⁵, b. 19 Aug., 1745.
 35. ii. FISHER⁵, b. 25 Jan., 1747.
 36. iii. SILAS⁵, b. 20 Nov., 1749.
 - iv. GAD, b. 29 May and d. 1 June, 1751.
 37. v. NATHAN⁵, b. 1 June, 1753.
 - vi. MIRIAM, b. 9 Oct., 1762; m. 12 Jan., 1786, Lieut. Seth Kingsbury of Walpole.
 38. vii. PHINEAS⁵, b. 24 Apr., 1764.
15. ELIJAH⁴, son Noah³ (7) b. in Medfield 19 Dec., 1722; was a housewright by trade and resided in the northern part of the

* The Dedham records give the following children of Aaron and Hannah—which compare with the list given above: 1. *Judith*, b. 1 Mch., 1733-4. 2. *Benjamin*, b. 23 Dec., 1735. [Medfield records give d. 27 Dec., 1755.] 3. *Samuel*, b. 26 Dec., 1740. 4. *Moses*, b. 21 Dec., 1743.

† "Memorial of Joseph and Lucy Clark Allen," p. 2.

town where Mr. John Newell now lives.* He m. 1 July, 1754, Sarah, dau. Samuel and Sarah (Star) Morse, who d. 9 May, 1807; he d. 27 Feb., 1792. Ch. all b. in Medfield.

- i. SARAH, b. 7 June, 1755; m. 12 Mch., 1778, Philip Blake. Ch.:—
1. *Patty*, b. 2 July, 1780. 2. *Josiah*, b. 16 Apr., 1782. 3. *Allen*, b. 4 Sept., 1784. 4. *Sarah*, b. 25 Oct., 1786. 5. *Hep-sibah*, b. 16 June, 1788. 6. *Ira*, b. 19 Oct., 1790.
- ii. SYBIL, b. 7 Apr., 1757; m. 25 Jan., 1781, Rufus Mann. Ch.:—
1. *Sarah*, b. 2 Jan., 1782. 2. *Koduey*, b. 15 Mch., 1784. 3. *Susanna*, b. 7 Sept., 1785. 4. *Harvey*, b. 1793. 5. *Gerald Newland Ezra*, b. 26 June, 1796. 6. *George*.
- iii. CATHERINE, b. 14 Feb., 1759; m. 29 Nov., 1780, John Hartshorn of Walpole. Ch.:—1. *Wilham*. 2. *John*. 3. *Lucinda*. 4. *Bralen*. (Allen Geneal.)
- iv. THANKFUL, b. 25 Feb., 1761; m. 24 Oct., 1780, John Bullard. Ch.:—1. *Elijah*, b. 25 Feb., 1781. 2. *Clive*, b. 3 June, 1782. 3. *Thankful*, b. 11 Jan., 1784.
- v. ABIGAIL, b. 12 Oct., 1771; m. 20 Sept., 1792, Noah Daniels. Ch.:—1. *Jason*, b. 26 Feb., 1793. 2. *Thankful*, b. 31 Aug., 1796. 3. *Noah*, b. 22 Jan., 1814.

16. JONATHAN⁴, son Noah³ (7) b. in Medfield 20 June, 1726; was a cooper by trade. In 1753 Mary Wight gave her homestead to my "friend Jonathan Allen," the place being now occupied by Mr. William C. Allen. Jonathan was selectman in 1771, 1772 and 1773. The 16 June, 1781, he was drafted to serve in the Continental army. He m. 13 May, 1752, Sarah, dau. Samuel Ellis, who d. 5 Aug., 1771; m. 2dly, 24 Nov., 1772, Abigail Harding, who d. 8 May, 1822; he d. 19 June, 1807. Ch. all b. in Medfield.

- i. JONATHAN, b. 13 Jan., 1759; d. 10 Apr., 1759.
39. ii. OLIVER⁵, b. 29 Aug., 1762.
- iii. JOHN, m. 7 Dec., 1789, Amy Plimpton Harding.
- iv. OLIVE, m. 25 Jan., 1795, Aaron Clark of Medfield, who soon removed to Rutland, Mass. Ch.:—1. *Nathan*, b. 20 Sept., 1796. 2. *Horace*, b. 17 Aug., 1799. 3. *Olive*, b. 17 Aug., 1805; d. 1819. 4. *Mary*, b. 9 Nov., 1808. 5. *Aaron*, b. 16 Apr., 1811. 6. *Moses*, b. 11 Dec., 1815. 7. *Abigail*, b. 13 Feb., 1816. 8. *Sarah*, † b. 1818.
- v. ABIGAIL, m. 7 May, 1801, Phineas Partridge.

17. ELEAZER⁴, son Eleazer³ (8) b. in Dedham 27 May, 1713; inherited his father's homestead in Dover; m. in Medfield 17 May, 1740, Phebe, dau. Jonathan and Margaret (Fairbanks) Wight.

40. i. ELEAZER⁵, b. 21 Aug., 1740.
- ii. PHEBE, m. in Dedham 7 June, 1770, Benjamin Day of Wrentham.
- iii. AMY, b. 3 July, 1746; unmarried.
- iv. SYBIL, b. 4 Dec., 1749.

* Hist. Medfield.

† Hist. of Medfield, p. 360.

18. OBADIAH⁴, son *Eleazer*³ (S) b. in Dedham 27 Sept., 1721; settled in Wrentham; m. in Sturbridge 8 Sept., 1747; Jerusha Clark. Ch. b. in Wrentham.

- i. ESTHER, b. 6 Nov., 1748.
- ii. EUNICE, b. 6 May, 1750.
- iii. JERUSHA, b. 1 Apr., 1752.
- iv. ELIZABETH, b. 29 Dec., 1755.
- v. MARY, b. 27 May, 1758.

19. SAMUEL⁴, son *Eleazer*³ (S) b. in Dedham 10 June, 1724; settled in Wrentham; m. in Medfield 22 Apr., 1747; Abigail Smith. Ch. all b. in Wrentham.

- i. SAMUEL, b. 17 Mch., 1747-8.
- ii. RICHARD, b. 15 Sept., 1750.
- iii. ABIJAH, b. 17 July, 1754.
- iv. ABIGAIL, b. 13 Dec., 1756.
- v. MARY, b. 1 Mch., 1759.

20. HEZEKIAH⁴, son *Hezekiah*³ (9) b. in Dedham 15 Apr., 1724; inherited the farm in Dover, near Pegan Hill; was one of petitioners to Gov. Shirley in Apr., 1748, asking that the residents of the westerly part of Dedham "might be freed from paying ministerial rates in the respective places where they worshiped, as it was attended with great difficulty and labor," which was granted by the General Court 18 Nov., 1748. During cold weather the school-house, near the church, was opened at stated intervals during church service in order that the congregation might warm themselves, and Hezekiah Allen was one of the committee to "open, shut and secure the fire and keep order in said house."* He was a member of Capt. Ebenezer Battle's company at the Lexington fight 19 Apr., 1775, serving six days. In 1784 Dover was made a separate precinct, at which time he was chosen clerk, the fac-simile of signature being taken from

Hezekiah Allen Prot Clerk

June 26 1784—

the town books. He was chosen treasurer in 1786; warden in 1787-8-9. In 1788 was one of a committee to defend the district in a suit concerning the boundary line between Dover and Dedham. The next year he was chosen to col-

* Hist. Norfolk County, p. 242.

lect the minister's tax; was fence-viewer* in 1792, 1794 and 1798. In 1792 he was a member of the committee to regulate a house set apart for a small-pox hospital, and "to set bounds around it." Any person going within said bound without proper authority was to be fined £50. He was appointed captain of the Dedham 4th Precinct Company, Suffolk regiment, 19 Sept., 1771.† He was tythingman in 1796, and in 1797 was one of the committee to divide the town into three school districts. He m. in Needham 25 Nov., 1745, Jemima, dau. Cornelt Timothy and Jemima (Ware) Kingsbury, b. 11 Feb., 1727; d. in Dedham 13 Apr., 1755; m. 2ndly in Medfield 7 Apr., 1757, Mary, dau. William and Hannah (Chenery) Peters, and d. in Dover 12 July, 1798. His grave-stone reads:—

In Memory of
Cap^t Hezekiah Allen
who died July 12, 1798.
Ætates 76.

Watch, therefore, for you know not the day
Nor the hour when the Son of Man Cometh.

Ch. all b. in Dedham.

41. i. TIMOTHY⁵, b. 20 Apr., 1746.
- ii. JEMIMA, b. 15 Feb., 1747-8; m. Jonathan Parker who was killed at Lexington, 19 Apr., 1775; m. 2dly, 3 Nov., 1777, Isaac Shepard and d. in Needham, 3 Jan., 1832, æt. 82.
- iii. RACHEL, b. 4 Feb., 1749-50; m. in Dedham, 10 May, 1773, David Cleveland of Natick.
- iv. "SUSA," b. 20 Sept., 1752; d. 13 Sept., 1754.
- v. HEZEKIAH, b. 27 May and d. 17 June, 1754.

By wife Mary he had:—

- vi. CALLA, b. 11 Jan., 1759; m. 17 Sept., 1777, Joseph Smith of Medfield. Ch.:— 1. *Draper*, b. 20 Dec., 1777. 2. *Deborah*, b. 5 Sept., 1779. 3. *Calla*, b. 2 May, 1782. 4. *Joseph*, b. 7 Aug., 1784. 5. *Allen*, b. 22 June, 1787. 6. *Patty*, b. 11 May, 1789. 7. *Joel*, b. 20 Sept., 1791. 8. *Calvin*, b. 20 Apr., 1794. 9. *Polly*, b. 7 Oct., 1796. 10. *Asa*, b. 16 Nov., 1799.
- vii. ZELLA, b. 8 Sept., 1760; unmarried.
- viii. HEZEKIAH PETERS⁵, b. 3 May, 1762; m. Thompson. Enlisted 27 July, 1779, in Capt. Caleb Champrey's company, Col. Nathaniel Heath's regiment, in detachment of Guards stationed at Boston, by resolve of the General Court, 18 June, 1779, and served 2mo. 4da.; enlisted 8 Oct., 1779, in Suffolk County com. under Maj. Gen. Hancock, serving 1mo. 3da. at Castle Island; enlisted in the Continental Army 17 July, 1780, for six months, discharged 23 Dec., 1780; and re-enlisted 24 Feb., 1781, for three years. We have been unable to learn anything of his immediate family.

* This office, as well as the later ones, may have been held by his grandson Hezekiah⁶ (79). The similarity of names makes it difficult to determine which of the two is referred to.

† Mass. Archives, vol. 99, roll 450.

42. ix. PEREZ⁵, b. 8 Feb., 1764.
 43. x. WILLIAM PITT⁵, b. 21 Oct., 1766.
 xi. HITA, b. 30 Aug., 1768; d. 29 May, 1776.
 xii. CALVIN, b. 1 Mch., 1770; m. Abigail Richards.
 xiii. PATTY, }
 xiv. MARY, } b. 11 Mch., 1773.
 Mary d. 2 July, 1776.
 Patty m. 10 May, 1798, Moses Fisher.
44. xv. MORRILL⁵, b. 3 Apr., 1776.

21. ELIPHALET¹, son *Nehemiah*³ (10) b. in Sherborn, 24 Aug., 1727; resided in Sturbridge, where he m. 1st 8 Feb., 1753, Elizabeth Livermore; m. 2dly, 17 July, 1764, widow Susannah Sallis, who d. 1 Aug., 1766; m. 3dly, 12 Mch., 1767, Sabra Lee, who was perhaps the "widow Allen" whose d. is recorded 4 Feb., 1787; he d. 20 Nov., 1783. Ch. all b. in Sturbridge.

- i. EDMUND, b. 1 Dec., 1753.
 ii. MARY, b. 31 Oct., 1755.
 iii. RHODD [Rhoda], b. 18 Jan., 1758; m. Caleb, son of Aaron and Hannah Allen. See No. 32.
 iv. THANKFUL, b. 22 Apr., 1760.

By wife Susanna he had —

45. v. ELIJAH⁵, b. 10 Apr., 1765.
 vi. SUSANNA, b. 25 July, 1766.

By wife Sabra he had —

- vii. JOEL, b. 7 Oct., 1768; d. 29 Oct., 1790.
 46. viii. WILLARD⁵, b. 14 Aug., 1770.

22. JOHN¹, son *Nehemiah*³ (10) b. in Sherborn, 13 Feb., 1731-2; m. Elizabeth, dau. Aaron and Hannah Allen (see No. 13). b. in Sturbridge, 29 Mch., 1743; d. there 9 June, 1803. Ch. all b. in Sturbridge.

- i. MIRIAM, b. 7 Feb., 1767.
 ii. ZERNIAH, b. 30 May, 1769.
 iii. ELIZABETH, b. 25 Apr., 1771.
 47. iv. MOSES⁵, b. 13 Mch., 1773.
 v. JOHN, b. 27 Aug., 1776.
 vi. WATERS, b. 30 Aug., 1778.
 vii. POLLY, b. 8 Oct., 1784.
 48. viii. SIMEON⁵, b. 5 Dec., 1786
 N. B. The records give,—"A child of John Allen" d. 6 July, 1803.

23. JACOB¹, son *Nehemiah*³ (10) b. in Sherborn, 24 Feb., 1733-4; resided first in Sturbridge, where his children were born, and subsequently removed to Whitehall, N. Y. By wife Lucy he had —

49. i. JACOB⁵, b. 1 Dec., 1760.
 ii. EPHRAIM, b. 9 May, 1763; d. young.
 iii. ABRAHAM, b. 10 Nov., 1764; m. 28 Sept., 1806, Hannah, dau. Gen Timothy Newell. Had children who d. young; he was an eminent surgeon and d. Apr., 1845.

50. iv. EPHRAIM⁵, b. 10 May, 1766.
v. SYBIL, b. 30 Jan., 1768; d. 27 Jan., 1769.
24. ABEL⁴, son *Nehemiah*³ (10) b. in Sherborn, 20 Feb., 1735-6; m. in Sturbridge, 9 May, 1765, Jerusha Tarbell. Ch. all but last three recorded in Sturbridge.
51. i. ABEL⁵, b. 20 Mch., 1767.
52. ii. ALFORD⁵, b. 24 Apr., 1768.
53. iii. EZRA⁵, b. 6 Sept., 1773.
iv. JERUSHA, b. 12 Sept., 1775; m. James Lyon and d. 1865.
v. ESTHER, b. 2 Oct., 1784; m. Capt. Freeland Wallis.
- Battle of Lexington*
Rev. Services
25. TIMOTHY⁴, son *Nehemiah*³ (10) b. in Sturbridge, 25 Mch., 1744; m. in Sturbridge, 8 Dec., 1768, Hannah Moffit, who d. 2 May, 1813, ae 65; he d. 1 May, 1813, ae 69. Ch. all b. in Sturbridge.
54. i. SABIN⁵, b. 6 July, 1769.
ii. PARKER, b. 27 Feb., 1771; d. in 1836 unmarried.
iii. MEHTABLE, b. 16 Nov., 1774.
iv. HANNAH, b. 4 June, 1776; m. Dwight Johnson.
v. HEZEKIAH, b. 15 Feb., 1781; m. Lorinda Walker and had: *Hannah*, b. 22 Dec., 1809. [A child of Hezekiah A. d. 20 July, 1814.]
55. vi. TIMOTHY⁵, b. 16 June, 1789.
[The Allen Genealogy gives a dau. Matilda who m. Simeon Rice of Brookfield. Sturbridge records give m. 7 Nov., 1792, and ch., Parker A., b. 14 Nov., 1793.]
26. ABNER⁴, son *Nehemiah*³ (10) b. in Sturbridge, 22 Aug., 1746; resided in Sturbridge and d. 7 Mch., 1830. His wife, Mary ———, d. there 8 July, 1802. He probably had a second wife, Deborah, who d. 13 May, 1821; he d. 7 Mch., 1830.* Ch. all b. in Sturbridge.
- i. PENUEL, b. 23 Oct., 1772.
ii. JEMIMA, b. 3 Sept., 1774. [Not recorded in Sturbridge. A Jemima A. m. 30 Apr., 1800, Peter Groves, Jr.]
56. iii. HENRY⁵, b. 2 Nov., 1776
iv. STEPHEN, b. 9 May, 1781; m. in Sturbridge, 24 Mch., 1808, Hannah Holbrook, and had a child b. 20 Aug., 1809.
v. ABNER, b. 30 Oct., 1782
vi. THENA, b. 15 Oct., 1787; m. 2 June, 1813, Joel Thompson of Brimfield.
27. JAMES⁵, son *John*⁴ (11) b. in Medfield, 13 Aug., 1756; settled on the homestead at the foot of Rocky Lane; he m. in Medfield, 24 June, 1779, Mary, dau. Levi and Mehitable (Morse) Cheney, who d. 10 Nov., 1825; he d. 5 Feb., 1835. Ch. b. in Medfield.
- i. NANCY, b. 1781; d. 3 Jan., 1865, unmarried.
ii. POLLY, b. 3 May, 1782; m. in Medfield, 12 Feb., 1801, John Kingsbury.

* Allen Genealogy, p. 50.

- iii. ALEXANDER, b. 26 Aug., 1784; d. 8 May, 1785.
 57. iv. JOHN⁶, b. 16 Oct., 1786.
 v. OLIVE, b. 26 Sept., 1793; d. 7 June, 1874, unmarried.
28. AMOS⁵, son John⁴ (11) b. in Medfield, 6 June, 1761; m. 21 June, 1784, Susanna Everett. Ch. b. in Medfield.
 i. CHARLOTTE, b. 6 Nov., 1786.
 ii. HANNAH, b. 29 May, 1789.
 iii. JOSEPH, b. 12 June, 1791.
 iv. CHARLES, b. in Walpole, in 1801.
29. AARON⁵, son Aaron⁴ (13) b. 22 Aug., 1739-40, resided in Sturbridge, where he m. 15 Mch., 1764, Abigail, dau. Nehemiah and Mary (Parker) Allen (see No. 10), b. in Sherborn, 23 Dec., 1741. Ch. all b. in Sturbridge.
 58. i. REUBEN⁶, b. 19 Nov., 1764.
 ii. ANNA, d. 5 Oct., 1776.
 iii. SYBIL, b. 10 Feb., 1769.
 iv. LOIS, b. 2 Apr., 1770.
 59. v. KIAS⁶, b. 13 Sept., 1772.
 vi. BETTY, b. 15 Sept., 1774.
 60. vii. ETHAN⁶, b. 30 July, 1776.
 viii. MARY, b. 23 July, 1778.
 ix. AARON, b. 9 June, 1781.
 x. NABBY, b. 1 Aug., 1783; d. 3 Aug., 1787.
 xi. ANNA, b. 6 Sept., 1787.
30. SIMEON⁵, son Aaron⁴ (13) b. in Sturbridge, 26 June, 1741-2; m. 4 June, 1766, Sarah Butler of Bellingham, who d. 27 May, 1813, ae 77; he d. 23 Jan., 1807, ae 65. Ch. all b. in Sturbridge.
 i. THANKFUL, b. 1 June, 1767; d. 4 Apr., 1769.
 ii. AMASA, b. 19 Feb., 1769; m. in Sturbridge, 28 Sept., 1794, Silence Leach, at which time his residence was given as Charlton.
 iii. SARAH, b. 17 May, 1771; d. 16 Oct., 1772.
 iv. DESIRE, b. 22 Nov., 1773; m. in Sturbridge, 15 Jan., 1799, William Lombard of Brimfield. Ch. b. in Sturbridge: 1. *Elmeda*, b. 9 Oct., 1799. 2. *Washburn*, b. 6 May, 1801. 3. *Sumner*, b. 2 Mch., 1803. 4. *Aurea*, b. 8 July, 1805. 5. *Admiral N.*, b. 11 Oct., 1807. 6. *Augusta*, b. 30 Oct., 1809. 7. *Matilda*, b. 20 Sept., 1811. 8. "A child still born," 2 Mch., 1814.
 v. SARAH, b. 10 June, 1777.
31. ITHAMAR⁵, son Aaron⁴ (13) b. in Sturbridge, 9 Oct., 1751; m. 30 Sept., 1773, Dolly Pincheon. Ch. b. in Sturbridge.
 i. NATHAN, b. 19 Mch., 1774.
 ii. AMASA, b. 13 Feb., 1776.
 iii. ANNA, b. 22 Apr., 1778. — *Amc in Sturbridge*
 iv. SILAS, b. 9 Mch., 1780.
32. CALEB⁵, son Aaron⁴ (13) b. in Sturbridge, 25 June, 1755; m. 22 May, 1777, Rhoda, dau. Eliphalet and Elizabeth (Livermore) Allen (see No 21), b. in Sturbridge, 18 Jan., 1758. [In record of marriage his residence is given as Brookfield.] Ch. b. in Sturbridge.

- i. DELIGHT, b. 11 Sept., 1777; m. 14 Mch., 1802, Nathan Lombard.
 ii. ABRA, b. 7 June, 1780.
 iii. DERRY, b. 15 Mch., 1783.
 iv. ALBON, b. 30 Dec., 1788; m. in Sturbridge, 4 Dec., 1814, Mercy Wight.
 v. PALIS, b. 30 July, 1795.
 vi. LAUSON, b. 17 Jan., 1797; d. 21 May, 1802.
33. ELISHA³, son Aaron¹ (13) b. in Sturbridge, 20 Nov., 1759; by wife Cylinda had b. in Sturbridge:—
- i. OREN, b. 10 Apr., 1785; a physician in Warren; d. in Sturbridge, 31 Jan., 1814, unmarried.
 61. ii. WALTER⁶, b. 20 Mch., 1787.
 iii. THANKFUL, b. 22 July, 1789.
 iv. CYLINDA, b. 7 Apr., 1792; d. 5 Oct., 1826.
 v. CALISTA, b. 9 Nov., 1794; m. in Sturbridge, 24 May, 1814, Pardon Thompson. Ch:— *Oren A.*, b. in Sturbridge, 2 Oct., 1814.
 62. vi. ALVIN⁶, b. 13 Nov., 1797.
 vii. PATTY, b. 20 Dec., 1800.
 63. viii. ELISHA DWIGHT⁵, b. 27 Mch., 1804.
 [The Allen Genealogy gives a dau., *Martha B.*, b. 20 Dec., 1800, who m. Alfred Hitchcock of Brimfield, and had George M. and Laura A. Sturbridge records give death of "A daughter of Capt. Elisha Allen," 18 Jan., 1810.]
34. ASAHIEL³, son Noah¹ (14) b. in Medfield, 19 Aug., 1745, was a joiner by trade and resided in Medfield near the present residence of Mr. B. F. Shumway*, selling the estate in 1776 to his brother Silas. He m. 23 Nov., 1775, Patience Richardson of Medway and d. 24 Jan., 1784. Children:—
64. i. DAVID⁶, b. 26 July, 1776.
 65. ii. JEREMIAH⁶, b. 7 Mch., 1778.
 66. iii. JONATHAN⁶, b. 1 Apr., 1780.
 iv. PATIENCE, b. 20 Apr., 1784; m. 17 Feb., 1805, Calvin Joscelyn of Leominster. Ch.:— 1. *Caroline*, b. 1806, d. 4 Sept., 1823.
 2. *Martha Allen*, b. 1808. 3. *Ellis K.*, b. 1810. 4. *John*, b. 1814. 5. *William Allen*, b. 1816. 6. *Lorin*, b. 1817. 7. *Abigail*, b. 1820; d. 1831. 8. *Elizabeth*, b. 1822.
35. FISHER³, son Noah¹ (14) b. in Medfield, 25 Jan., 1747; inherited his grand-father Fisher's estate in Dover, and was selectman there in 1786, 1787, 1789 and 1790; tythingman, 1792; assessor, 1797-8; was among those in Medfield who agreed to go to Boston for the "Newes Papers" in 1777. He m. in Medfield, 9 May, 1771, Rachel, dau. Jonathan and Abigail (Wilkinson) Smith, and d. in Dover, 21 June, 1842, ae. 95; she died 1 Dec., 1829. Children:—
- i. MIRIAM, b. 29 Oct., 1772; m. Daniel Kingsbury of Walpole. Ch.:— 1. *Fisher Allen*. 2. *Susan*. 3. *Rachel*. 4. *Adeline*. 5. *Daniel*. 6. *Almira*. 7. *Miriam*. 8. *Abigail*. 9. *Elizabeth*. * 10. *Joanna*.

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- ii. ABIGAIL, b. 12 Oct., 1774. m. Nathaniel Fish of Holliston. Ch.:—
 1. *Noah Allen*, b. 26 Aug., 1799. 2. *Sally*, b. 23 Nov., 1800.
 3. *Josiah F.*, b. 6 Feb., 1802; d. 1829. 4. *Nathaniel*, b. 28 Dec., 1803; killed by falling from a wagon 30 Apr., 1857.
- iii. RACHEL, b. 5 June, 1777; m. Daniel Mann of Dover. Ch.:—
 1. *Lydia*. 2. *Rachel Allen*. 3. *Betsy*. 4. *Lucy Maria*. 5. *Daniel Fisher*. 6. *A child* d. in infancy.
36. SILAS⁵, son *Noah*⁴ (14) b. in Medfield, 20 Nov., 1749; resided on his brother Asahel's place, which he purchased in 1776; was one of the Medfield Minute-men, marching to Concord, 19 Apr., 1775, serving twelve days; also one to go to Boston for the newspapers. In 1791 he sold his estate and removed to Shrewsbury; m. in Medfield, 8 Apr., 1772, Priscilla, dau. Simon and Ruth (Morse) Plimpton, b. 21 Jan., 1753; d. in Shrewsbury, 26 Feb., 1824; he d. there 6 Apr., 1834, ae 84. Ch. all b. in Medfield.
- i. ELIZABETH CUNNINGHAM, b. 28 Feb., 1773; m. in Shrewsbury, 28 Feb., 1796. Ephraim Hapgood. Ch.:—1. *Martha*, b. 15 May, 1798. 2. *Simon Allen*, b. 5 Aug., 1802; 3. *Lucy*, b. 27 Apr., 1805. *Elizabeth C.*, b. ———; d. 23 Sept., 1863.
67. ii. ASAHEL⁶, b. 6 Feb., 1775.
 iii. SIMON, b. 29 May, 1777; d. 7 May, 1785.
 68. iv. NOAH⁶, b. 23 Aug., 1780.
 69. v. SILAS⁶, b. 12 July, 1785.
37. NATHAN⁵, son *Noah*⁴ (14) b. in Medfield, 1 June, 1753; resided in the northern part of the town; was a soldier in the Continental army during the Revolution; selectman in 1794, 1800, 1801. He m. 6 Apr., 1779, Amy, dau. Jonathan and Abigail (Wilkinson) Smith, who d. 25 May, 1827; he d. 10 Apr., 1848. Ch. all b. in Medfield.
- i. AMY, b. 10 Feb., 1780; m. 14 May, 1801, Quincy Fisher. Ch.:—
 1. *William Q.*, b. 27 July, 1809. 2. *Amy Almira*, b. 13 Dec., 1811. 3. *Miriam*, b. 14 Feb., 1817; and five others who d. in infancy.
70. ii. OBED⁶, b. 8 July, 1782.
 71. iii. NATHAN⁶, b. 13 June, 1784.
38. PHINEAS⁵, son *Noah*⁴ (14) b. in Medfield, 24 Apr., 1764; at the age of sixteen he enlisted in the Continental army and was at West Point at the time of Arnold's treason and Andre's execution; was with the army during the terrible suffering in "the Jerseys," returning home at the close of the war in a terrible condition, traversing the entire distance of some 300 miles on foot. He inherited the homestead on Castle Hill and was selectman in 1810 and 1822; chosen deacon of the Unitarian Church in 1828. He
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m. 1st, 28 Oct., 1787, Ruth, dau. Asa Smith of Walpole.
b. 28 Feb., 1769; d. 25 July, 1832; m. 2dly, Eliza Turner
of Boston, and d. 13 Aug., 1836. Ch. all b. in Medfield.

i. ABIGAIL, b. 12 Nov., 1788; d. 22 Feb., 1796.

72. ii. JOSEPH⁶, b. 15 Aug., 1790.

73. iii. ELLIS⁶, b. 10 Sept., 1792.

iv. SILAS, b. 25 Jan., 1795; graduated at Harvard College in 1817 and studied for the ministry, preaching only a few times before he became insane. He lived for many years with his parents; then at the asylum in Worcester, and during the latter years of his life at the Medfield town farm, where he d. 31 Nov., 1888. He changed his name to William Winthrop.

74. v. ASA SMITH⁶, b. 21 June, 1797.

vi. ABIGAIL, b. 5 Oct., 1799; m. 11 Nov., 1811, Gershom Adams of Medfield and d. 12 Oct., 1889. Ch.:—1. *George Frederick*, b. 27 July, 1820. 2. *Charles Edward*, b. 15 Jan., 1822. 3. *John Quincy*, b. 7 July, 1824. 4. *James*, b. 6 June, 1827; d. 2 Jan., 1846. 5. *Robert Bruce*, b. 2 Jan., 1834; d. 2 July, 1842.

75. vii. PHINEAS⁶, b. 15 Oct., 1801.

76. viii. NOAH⁶, b. 22 Apr., 1807.

39. OLIVER⁵, son *Jonathan*⁴ (16) b. in Medfield, 29 Aug., 1762; settled on his father's homestead and m. 27 Nov., 1793, Sarah, dau. Nathan and Thankful (Hartshorn) Allen, b. 12 Feb., 1764; he d. 10 June, 1795. Ch.:—

i. WILLARD⁶, b. ———, 1794.

40. ELEAZER⁵, son *Eleazer*⁴ (17) b. in Dedham, 21 Aug., 1740, and resided on his father's homestead. His service in the Revolution was as follows:—Private in Capt. Ebenezer Battelle's company in Lexington alarm, serving six days; served six days in March, 1776, in taking possession of and fortifying Dorchester Heights, being a member of Capt. Ebenezer Battelle's company in Col. McIntosh's regiment. His intention of marriage is recorded in Dedham, 2 Jan., 1768, to Rebecca, dau. Seth and Rebecca Mason, b. in Dedham, 9 Sept., 1742.

i. REBECCA, b. 19 Jan., 1769; d. 18 Oct., 1774.

ii. HITT, b. 3 Nov., 1773; m. 5 Jan., 1792, Jesse Newell. Ch.:—1. *Rebecca*, b. 18 Oct., 1792. 2. *Charles*, b. 7 May, 1794. 3. *Hitty*, b. 7 Oct., 1795. 4. *Jesse*, b. 13 Aug., 1797. 5. *Amy*, b. 19 May, 1799. 6. *Dolly*, b. 19 Oct., 1801. 7. *John M.*, b. 29 June, 1803. 8. *Betsy*, b. 22 Apr., 1808. 9. *Sarah*, b. 9 Jan., 1810.

iii. JOHN, b. 30 Oct., 1779; m. ———, dau. Joseph Cheney, and d. 21 Dec., 1805.

41. TIMOTHY⁵, son *Hezekiah*⁴ (20) b. in Dedham, 20 Apr., 1746; resided on the homestead near Pegan Hill; served in Capt. Ebenezer Battelle's company at Lexington, 19 Apr., 1775;

also under same captain, Col. McIntosh's regiment, detailed "to take possession of Dorchester Hill

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and fortify it" in March, 1776, serving six days. 10 Dec., 1776, he enlisted in Capt. Abel Mason's company, Col. Jonathan Holmes' regiment, for service in Rhode Island, and served seventeen days; enlisted again 7 Aug., 1780, under same captain in Col. Jacob Davis' regiment, to take part in the expedition to Tiverton, R. I., and served twelve days. 18 Feb., 1782, the town of Dedham paid him "for a pair of stockings for the use of the army o. 6. o."* He was selectman of Dover in 1793, 1794, 1797, and 1798; in 1793 he was one of a committee of five to hire men for the United States army, who were to hold themselves ready at a minute's warning. In 1794 he was one of the committee to repair the meeting-house; fence viewer in 1796, and in the same year one of a committee to wait upon and notify a similar committee from without the district in regard to laying out a certain highway. After the year 1797 he is called "Lieutenant" in the town books. During the latter years of his life he became insane, owing to a fall from the pole of an ox-wagon. He m. in Dedham, 3 Dec., 1772, Rebecca, dau. Thomas and Rebecca (Graves) Eames, b. in Framingham, 23 Oct., 1750; d. ———; he d. 10 July, 1823. Ch. all b. in Dedham (Dover).

- i. TIMOTHY, b. 4 Mch., 1774; d. 20 Aug., 1775.
 78. ii. HEZEKIAH⁶, b. 12 Dec., 1775.
 iii. MARY, b. 1 Sept., 1777; m. in Ashford, Conn., 8 June, 1797, John Sumner†, of Ashford, Ct. Ch.: — 1. *Bridget P.*, b. ————. 2. *Mary*, b. ————. 3. *John Newman*, b. 17 Dec., 1807. 4. *Timothy Allen*, b. 13 Sept., 1811. 5. *Benjamin*, b. 12 Apr., 1817.
 79. iv. TIMOTHY⁶, b. 19 May, 1782.
 v. REBECCA, b. 20 Mch., 1784; m. in Dover 14 June, 1805, Ebenezer Smith†, b. 27 Feb., 1779; d. 7 Sept., 1847; she d. 27 Apr., 1848. Ch.: — 1. *Melanthon*, b. 28 Apr., 1806. 2. *Rebecca Eames*, b. 25 Aug., 1808; d. 26 July, 1888. 3. *Orlando*, b. 4 July, 1811. 4. *Reuben*, b. 7 Apr., 1814. 5. *Lucius*, b. 22 Oct., 1815. 6. *Clarissa Allen*, b. 9 June, 1818; m. David C. Allen, and d. 9 Mch., 1893. 7. *Abner Lewis*, b. 22 Jan., 1823. 8. *William Francis*, b. 16 Dec., 1826.
 80. vi. THADDEUS⁶, b. 14 May, 1787.
 81. vii. JARED⁶, b. 11 Apr., 1789.

* Mann's Annals of Dedham, p. 58.

† See appendix C and D for particulars of this family.

42. PEREZ⁵, son *Hezekiah* (20) b. in Dedham, 8 Feb., 1764; resided in Dover, and was surveyor of highways in 1789, hog reeve in 1790, field driver in 1793, surveyor again in 1799, collector and constable in 1800-1. On the town books he is called "Ensign" in 1799, and "Captain" in 1803, when he was moderator. He m. 24 Dec., 1789, Mehitable Richards, and had b. in Dover:—

- i. JULIA, b. 19 Feb., 1792.
- ii. LEONARD, b. 4 July, 1794; d. 2 Feb., 1798.
- iii. OTIS, b. 11 Sept., 1796.
- iv. MEHITABLE, b. 26 May, 1799.
- v. PEREZ, b. 20 July, 1801.

43. WILLIAM PITT⁵, son *Hezekiah*⁴ (20) b. in Dedham, 21 Oct., 1766; resided in Dover, where he was hog-reeve in 1789; surveyor and collector in 1792 and 1795, and field driver in 1798. He removed to Medfield in 1798 to manage his father-in-law's farm, and while working in the field with his brother-in-law, Ebenezer Mason, he was struck violently upon the head with the shovel Mason was using, and almost instantly killed. Mason was hung in Dedham the same year, 1802. William m. in Medfield, 28 Mch., 1789, Kezia, dau Asa and Beriah (Fisher) Mason. Ch.:—

- i. REUBEN, b. 13 Sept., 1789; had an only child, *Mary*, b. 10 Apr., 1812; m. Elias Haskett Derby. [See page 63.]
 - ii. WILLARD, b. 4 Nov., 1791; d. 4 Oct., 1792.
82. iii. WILLARD⁶, b. 5 Aug., 1793.
- iv. MARTHA, b. 3 Jan., 1796; m. 7 Sept., 1814, Ralph Battelle of Dover, and d. 28 Oct., 1842. Ch.:—1. *Ralph Allen*, b. 30 Jan., 1816.
 - v. IRA, b. 11 July, 1797.
83. vi. AMOS⁶, b. 18 Oct., 1799.
- vii. MARY, b. 14 Mch., 1802.

44. MORRILL⁵, son *Hezekiah*⁴ (20) b. in Dedham, 3 Apr., 1776. prepared for college under the tutorage of the village minister, devoting the summer to work upon his father's farm. Being dependent upon his own labors he met his college expenses by teaching school, in which he was so successful that at the time of his graduation he was free from debt. He entered Brown's University in 1795, graduating with honors in 1798, and at once began studying for the ministry with the Rev. Dr. Forbes of Raynham. In 1801 he was settled over the first parish church of Pembroke, remaining pastor for over forty years, his preaching being noted for its brevity and originality of treatment. Soon after his settlement, finding his salary of \$475 inadequate to meet the expenses of his growing family, he opened a school for boys, which proving so successful, his pupils became so

numerous, making the work in connection with the duties of his parish such a tax on his strength he was forced to abandon the school. His son turned his attention to farming, and by adopting the plan of selecting different soils for different crops, he soon became the most successful farmer in the county. He was one of the founders, and many years president, of the Plymouth County Agricultural Society, and in 1849 was elected member of the Royal Agricultural Society of Tunis, Virginia. Was a frequent contributor to agricultural papers, dwelling only upon his own observation and experiments rather than scientific research. He was among the first to utilize surface earth, the piles of which about his farm being at first contemptuously called "Allenites"; but having demonstrated its worth, the name was continued in honor of the supposed originator of a useful practice. While a minister he took no part in public affairs, not even voting, but soon after his retirement he was elected to the State Senate of which body he was an efficient and honored member*. He m. 14 May, 1801, Hannah Dean of Raynham, who d. 15 Feb., 1877; he d. 17 Aug., 1870. Ch. all b. in Pembroke.

84. i. GEORGE MINOT⁶, b. 19 Feb., 1802.
 ii. A daughter, b. 1 June, 1804; d. young
 iii. JOSIAH DEAN, b. 16 May, 1805; d. 8 June, 1811,
 iv. MORRILL BYAM, b. 3 Oct., 1807; d. 27 July, 1830.
 v. HANNAH CORNELIA DEAN, b. 25 Oct., 1810; m. in 1840, Dauphin King of Norton, and d. in Crescent City, Pa., 28 Feb., 1884. Ch.: — *Allen*, b. 11 Nov., 1841.
 vi. JOSIAH DEAN, b. 20 Jan., 1813; d. 20 Apr., 1818.
85. vii. WILLIAM PALEY⁶, b. 27 Sept., 1815.
 viii. SARAH DEAN, b. 8 Jan., 1819; d. 5 Apr., 1819.
86. ix. HENRY WAKE⁶, b. 6 Apr., 1822.
 x. MARTHA JANE, b. 10 Aug., 1826; m. 16 Oct., 1864, William F. Wheeler of Lincoln, who d. 10 Oct., 1890.
45. ELIJAH⁵, son *Eliphalet*⁴ (21) b. in Sturbridge, 10 Apr., 1765; m. Lettice Hitchcock, and d. 19 Apr., 1843. Children: —
 i. HANNAH, b. 25 July, 1794.
87. ii. LEMUEL⁶, }
 88. iii. SANDERS⁶, } b. 14 Apr., 1796.
 iv. HARRIET, b. 1 Aug., 1798.
 v. ELIJAH, b. 9 Jan., 1800; d. 25 June, 1813.
46. WILLARD⁵, son *Eliphalet*⁴ (21) b. in Sturbridge, 14 Aug., 1770; m. there, 4 Apr., 1789, Hepsibah Walker, and subsequently removed to Remsen, N. Y. Ch. all b. in Sturbridge.
 i. JONATHAN, b. 13 June, 1789.

* I am indebted to Mr. Frank Smith of Dover for these facts.

- ii. CALVIN, b. 22 _____, 1791; m. 15 Nov., 1812. Polly Leach; removed with *his father*.
- iii. LOIS, b. 15 Aug., 1793.
- iv. ELIPHALET, b. *Sept.*, 1794.
89. v. FRANCIS D.⁶, b. 13 Mch., 1796.
- vi. CANDACE, b. 5 June, 1803.
- vii. BOSTWICK, b. 7 Feb., 1808.
- viii. NATHANIEL W., b. 27 Feb., 1810.
- [The Sturbridge records give the following: A child of Willard Allen d. 17 Mch., 1797-8. A child of Willard Allen d. 1 Nov., 1800.]
47. MOSES⁵, son *John*⁴ (22) b. in Sturbridge, 13 Mch., 1773; m. there, 19 Dec., 1799, Olive Rich. Ch. b. in Sturbridge.
- i. A child d. 16 Mch., 1801.
- ii. ELMIRA, b. 12 June, 1802; d. 19 Oct., 1808.
- iii. LORENZO, b. 16 Mch., 1806; d. 18 Oct., 1808.
- iv. CAROLINE, b. 23 Oct., 1810.
- v. ELIZABETH, b. 15 May, 1813.
- vi. ALVORD, b. 29 Aug., 1815.
48. SIMEON⁵, son *John*⁴ (22) b. in Sturbridge, 5 Dec., 1786; m. Eliza Boyd, and d. 4 July, 1844. Ch. b. in Sturbridge.
- i. SOPHRONIA, b. 16 Nov., 1809; d. in 1844.
- ii. MERRILL, b. 23 Oct., 1811.
- iii. JOHN B., b. 23 Oct., 1813; a clergyman in Brookline, Ohio, in 1869.
90. iv. CHARLES N⁶, b. 4 Sept., 1815.
- [The Allen Genealogy gives a son George Sumner, b. 1808; d. 1812; which I fail to find in Sturbridge records.]
49. JACOB⁵, son *Jacob*⁴ (23) b. in Sturbridge, 1 Dec., 1760; m. there 14 Aug., 1783, Mary Corbin. Ch. b. in Sturbridge.
91. i. AMASA⁶, b. 7 Feb., 1784.
- ii. LUCY, b. 23 Jan., 1786; m. 10 Sept., 1801, Phineas Walker, Jr. of Woodstock, Conn.
- iii. ELECTA, b. 1 Jan., 1789; m. Charles Hobbs. The Sturbridge records give *Lucy Hobbs*, dau. of Electa Allen, b. 27 Sept., 1808. and the following child of "Charles and Electa Hobbs," viz.: *Parmelia*, b. 17 Sept., 1813.
- iv. A child, d. 15 Dec., 1791.
- v. A child, d. 4 Oct., 1794.
- vi. ANNA MARIA, b. 15 Feb., 1796; m. S. D. Phelps of Fitchburg.
- vii. ELVIRA, b. 17 Mch., 1798; m. Samuel Standish of No. Granville, N. Y.
- viii. MARY, b. 24 Jan., 1800; m. Dr. Benjamin Utter of Whitehall, N. Y., and was living in Amsterdam, N. Y., in 1869.
- [The last two children are not recorded in Sturbridge.]
50. EPHRAIM⁵, son *Jacob*⁴ (23) b. in Sturbridge, 10 May, 1766; m. Miriam, dau. Gen. Timothy Newell. Children:—
- i. TIMOTHY NEWELL, b. in Monson, 31 Mch., 1794; m. Catherine Finn of Fort Edward, N. Y., and d. in 1826, in the first year of his law practice.
- ii. HENRY, b. in Monson, 29 Nov., 1795; m. Christiana Robinson of Fort Miller, N. Y., and d. in 1849, leaving two sons, *Henry* and *Charles*.

- iii. CHARLES, b. in Salem, N. Y., 27 Sept., 1797; d. in Whitehall, N. Y., in Mch., 1852, leaving a daughter, since deceased.
- iv. CAROLINE, b. 11 Mch., 1799; m. Dr. Archibald McAllister, and had seven children, of whom *Miriam* and *Sarah* only were living in 1869.
- v. JACOB, b. 3 Oct., 1802; resided in Buffalo, N. Y., in 1869.
92. vi. GEORGE⁶, b. 12 Jan., 1806.
93. vii. WILLIAM PITT⁶, b. 14 Feb., 1808.
51. ABEL⁵, son *Abel*⁴ (24) b. in Sturbridge, 20 Mch., 1767; m. Experience Parker in 1792. Ch. b. in Sturbridge.
- i. HARMONIA, b. 26 Dec., 1793; d. in 1844. [Sturbridge records call her "Harmony."]
- ii. HORACE, b. 2 May, 1796; m. Maria Upham, and d. in 1852.
- iii. ADALINE A., b. 20 June, 1801.
- iv. BETSEY, b. 19 Jan., 1804.
- v. HARRIET, b. 8 Oct., 1806; m. Jesse B. Adams of Grass Lake, Mich.
94. vi. CHARLES G.⁶, b. 5 Mch., 1809. [Not recorded in Sturbridge.]
52. ALFORD⁵, son *Alford*⁴ (24) b. in Sturbridge, 24 Apr., 1768; m. in 1791, Lucebia Ballard. Children:—
- i. AUGUSTA, b. 24 Feb., 1793; m. N. C. Martin of Milton.
- ii. ORESTES, b. 27 Nov., 1795; m. Lavinia Lilley of Homer, N. Y.
- iii. PLINY, b. 18 Feb., 1799; was a merchant in Monson, and m. Elvira Norcross.
95. iv. PARSONS⁶, b. 16 Feb., 1802; resided in Brimfield, and m. Lucy Brown.
- v. CHENEY BULLARD, b. — Sept., 1805; resided in Boston and m. A. A. Winship.
- vi. ESHIER LUCEBIA, b. 9 Sept., 1810; m. J. P. Curtis, who d. in Louisville, Ky.
- vii. NORMAN W., b. 9 Oct., 1812; d. 1816.
53. EZRA⁵, son *Abel*⁴ (24) b. in Sturbridge, 6 Sept., 1773. He resided in Holland and was called "Colonel." He told the Rev. Joseph Allen of Northboro', in 1865, that he distinctly remembered his grandfather, Nehemiah, who came from Medfield. He m., in 1802, Mary M. Needham, and d. 30 Oct., 1866, ae. 93. Children:—
- i. MARY C., b. 12 Nov., 1804; m. Trueman Charles.
- ii. ROXANA, b. 24 Aug., 1809; m. Joseph Stone and d. 12 Feb., 1868.
- iii. HARRISON, b. 18 Apr., 1814; m. Harriet A. Partridge.
96. iv. JOSEPH LATHROP⁶, b. 24 Sept., 1815.
54. SABIN⁵, son *Timothy*⁴ (25) b. in Sturbridge, 6 July, 1769; m. there 26 July, 1792, Anna Corbin. He resided in Whitehall, N. Y., and removed to Dresden, N. Y., where he d. 11 Sept., 1824. Children:—
- i. CHLOE, b. 7 Apr., 1793; m. in Sturbridge, 3 Sept., 1815, Benjamin Burnham. Ch.:—1. *Austin Allen*. 2. *Louisa*. 3. *Benjamin*. 4. *Betsy*.
97. ii. NEHEMIAH⁶, b. 17 Sept., 1795.

iii. NANCY, b. 14 May 1799; m. Salmon P. Abell Ch.: - 1. Corbin Allen. 2. Volney V. 3. Rodney C. 4. Caroline.

98. iv. CORBIN⁶, b. 24 May 1803.

v. LOUISA, b. 22 Nov. 1806; m. John D. Nelson of West Haven, Vt.

55. ^{Colony} TIMOTHY⁵, son Timothy⁴ (25) b. in Sturbridge, 16 June 1789; m. there, 14 May, 1812, Clarissa Marsh; resided first in Sturbridge, where three of his children were born; thence to Brookfield, N. Y., and then ~~Green Bay~~, Wis., where he d. in 1857. ^{Allenville,}

i. SILAS M., b. 16 Mch., 1813.

ii. MATILDA, b. 1 Sept., 1814.

iii. CAROLINE, b. 3 Aug., 1816.

iv. WINTHROP M., b. 1819; was living in Brookfield, N. Y., in 1869.

v. GEORGE, b. — Feb., 1821.

vi. CLEMENTINE, b. — Sept., 1823.

56. HENRY⁵, son Abner⁴ (26) b. in Sturbridge, 2 Nov., 1776; he resided on the old homestead, as did his father before him, and m. in Sturbridge, 4 June, 1801, Mary Smith. Ch. all b. in Sturbridge.

i. MERCY, b. 13 June, 1802.

ii. LAURINDA, b. 6 July, 1804; m. Merrick Cheney of Union, Conn.

iii. AUGUSTA, b. 22 July, 1806; m. Joseph Gifford of East Hartford, Conn.

99. iv. LIBERTY⁶, b. 11 Sept., 1809.

v. PAMELA, b. 11 June, 1812; m. Levi Reed of Union, Conn.

57. JOHN⁶, son James⁵ (27) b. in Medfield, 16 Oct., 1786; built a house on part of his father's farm and m. 1st, 29 May, 1817, Amanda Learned, who d. 9 Aug., 1823; m. 2dly, 22 May, 1825, Sarah Chickering, and d. 26 Dec., 1832. Ch. all b. in Medfield.

i. HARRIET, b. 19 Feb., 1818; d. 15 Feb., 1855; unmarried.

ii. ELIZA WYETH, b. 7 Apr., 1819.

iii. ABIGAIL, b. 8 Sept., 1820.

iv. MARY, b. 15 May, 1822.

v. JOHN W., b. 10 Mch., 1826.

58. REUBEN⁶, son Aaron⁵ (29) b. in Sturbridge, 19 Nov., 1764; m. Experience ———, and d. in 1818. Children:

i. PERLEY, b. 1 June, 1792; d. 22 Oct., 1865.

ii. ABIGAIL, b. 1794; m. Silas Marsh.

iii. REUBEN, b. 1798; [probably the "child of Reuben Allen" whose death is recorded in the Sturbridge records, 21 Mch., 1803, ae. 6 yrs.]

iv. MELVIN, b. 1800; m. Sally Upton.

v. LUTHER, b. 1802; d. 1863.

vi. ELVIRA, b. 1805.

59. KIAS⁶, son Aaron⁵ (29) b. in Sturbridge, 13 Dec., 1772; m. there 6 Feb., 1803, Polly Brickett. Ch. b. in Sturbridge.

- vi. JANE AUGUSTA, b. 1819; d. 1845.
66. JONATHAN⁶, son *Asahel*⁵ (34) b. 1 Apr., 1780; m. 30 Apr., 1806, Sarah Houghton of Princeton, who d. 12 June, 1867. He was drowned in Paris, Me., 5 June, 1815. Children:—
- i. SARAH, b. 2 July, 1807; m. Isaac Farwell of Waltham, and d. 21 Nov., 1867. s. p.
 105. ii. OTIS⁷, b. 12 Sept., 1808.
 - iii. CAROLINE, b. 8 Nov., 1809; m. Jotham Stone of Hubbardston, and d. 3 Jan., 1892. Ch.:—1 *Charles Otis*, b. in Hubbardston, 25 May, 1851. 2 *Edward Allen*, b. 1 Sept., 1853.
 - iv. ELIZABETH, d. in infancy.
 - v. JONATHAN, b. 10 Oct., 1815; m. Albina Fuller of Norridgenock, Me., who d. in 1888; he d. 28 Sept., 1855. Ch.:—*Louisa A.*, b. in Lowell, 23 July, 1844; unmarried.
67. ASAHEL⁶, son *Silas*⁵ (36) b. in Medfield, 6 Feb., 1775; resided in Shrewsbury, where he m. 1st, 8 May, 1800, Lucy, dau. Jonas Hemenway, who d. 24 Feb., 1804, ae. 23; m. 2dly, 9 Apr., 1805, Mary Jamison, dau. Hollis and Lorisa (Bragg) Parker and widow of Josiah Harrington. Asahel resided in Shrewsbury, subsequently removing to Lancaster, N. H.; he d. in Berlin, Wis., 13 Oct., 1866, ae. 91; his wife d. 28 Feb., 1862. Ch. all b. in Shrewsbury.
106. i. ASAHEL PLIMPTON⁷, b. 17 May, 1806.
 - ii. LUCY HEMENWAY⁷, b. 15 Feb. 1809; d. 18 Apr., 1842.
 107. iii. DANIEL WALDO⁷, b. 17 May, 1811.
 - iv. ELIZABETH WALDO, b. 17 Aug., 1813; m. Rev. William Day of Cleveland, O. Ch.:—1. *Mary E.* 2. *Lucy W.* 3. *Ursula A.* 4. *Julia S.*
68. NOAH⁶, son *Silas*⁵ (36) b. in Medfield, 23 Aug., 1780; resided in Shrewsbury, where he was called "Captain" He m. 1 Jan., 1804, Irene, dau. Jonas and Sarah (Whitney) Hemenway, b. 23 July, 1784. He d. 4 Jan., 1845. Ch. all b. in Shrewsbury.
- i. LUCY II., b. 23 Oct., 1804; m. Uriah Bartlett of Northboro'. Ch.:—*Franklin L.*, b. 31 Mch., 1847.
 108. ii. JONAS HEMENWAY⁷, b. 14 Jan., 1807.
 - iii. HANNAH ALMIRA, b. — July, 1811; m. 4 Sept., 1832, John B. Plimpton of Shrewsbury. Ch.:—1. *Lucy Ann*, b. 8 May, 1834 2. *Albert Horatio*, b. 27 Dec., 1836. 3. *Noah Allen*, b. 11 Sept., 1841.
 109. iv. ASA HENRY⁷, b. 22 Nov., 1815.
69. SILAS⁶, son *Silas*⁵ (36) b. in Medfield, 12 July, 1785; resided on the homestead in Shrewsbury; m. Elizabeth Lamb of Spencer, and d. 6 Mch., 1868. Ch. all b. in Shrewsbury.
- i. CYRUS BULLARD, b. 31 Jan., 1807; d. in Philadelphia, Pa., in 1844; unmarried.
 110. ii. ARNOLD LAMB⁷, b. 25 Mch., 1808.
 111. iii. SIMON HARGOOD⁷, b. 8 Nov., 1811

70. OBED⁶, son *Nathan*⁵ (37) b. in Medfield, 8 July, 1782; he purchased the estate of Elijah Allen (—), which is now owned by his grandson, John Newell. He was selectman for 14 years; treasurer for 5 years, and schoolmaster from 1804-1812; was commissioned captain in 1812; major, 1814, and lieutenant colonel in 1815*. He m. in Medfield, 23 Mch., 1806, Caroline, dau. Nathan and Dorcas (Fisher) Harding, who d. 26 Dec., 1863; he d. 5 June, 1869, ae. 87. Ch. b. in Medfield.

- i. CAROLINE, b. 14 Dec., 1806; m. 6 Jan., 1833, John Newell of Dover, Ch.:—1 *John A.* 2. *Harriet.* 3. *Sarah.* 4. *William.* 5. *Caroline.*
- ii. OBED, b. 6 Nov., 1808; m. Betsey, dau. Jesse and Hitty (Allen) Newell of Dover, b. 22 Apr., 1808. Her brother John m. Obed's sister.

71. NATHAN⁶, son *Nathan*⁵ (37) b. in Medfield, 13 June, 1784; resided several years in his native town, at one time conducting the business of a butcher and baker, corner of North and Green Streets. He subsequently removed to Dedham. He m. in 1808, Catherine, dau. Obed and Catherine (Hinsdale) Fisher. Children:—

- i. CATHERINE HINSDALE, b. 10 June, 1810; m. William H. Spear of Plymouth, Ch.:—*William F.*
 - ii. FISHER, b. 15 Nov., 1812; d. 10 Oct., 1834.
 - iii. MARY ANN, b. 8 Sept., 1816; m. James Aldrich, M. D., of Fall River. s. p.
 - iv. LOUISA ADELAIDE, b. 6 June, 1819.
 - v. LUCY MARIA, b. 7 June, 1824; d. 12 Dec., 1852.
 - vi. ALFRED, b. 24 Feb., 1827.
- [All of the above children are said to have d. previous to 1869.]

72. JOSEPH⁶, son *Phineas*⁵ (38) b. in Medfield, 15 Aug., 1790; was the first of the family to graduate at Harvard College, which took place in 1811. Concerning this occasion, the following facts from "Tilden's History of Medfield" are interesting, as showing something of "Commencement" nearly a century ago:—"The graduate was clad in a black coat and small clothes with black silk stockings tied with ribbon at the knee. All these were made in his father's house, as also his ruffled shirt. His pumps were made by the town shoemaker. . . . Everything for the tables, except the warm meats, was cooked at home and carried down by the family. Two colored men walked down from Medfield to serve at the spread." Soon after graduation, and while staying with the Rev. Henry Ware, in Cambridge, he received an invitation to supply the pulpit of the church in Weston, as a candidate for settle-

* Hist. of Medfield.

ment; but being in poor health he wisely followed the advice of his physician and "took a long journey on horseback" to the springs at Ballston, N. Y.,* receiving much benefit and enjoyment from the trip, and by proper care "as to diet and exercise, he was able to retain good health through a long life." In 1816 he was settled as minister of Northboro', and in the following spring began the erection of "the manse," the young men of the town assisting to dig the cellar and rendering such other help as they could. The house was built nearly square, of "two stories, a hipped roof, and a broad porch in front," and was placed on rising ground a little below the foot of the common, south-west of the meeting-house.† On the seventy-first anniversary of his ordination, his children caused to be placed in the wall of the church he served so long, a plain tablet of white marble with a suitable inscription. He m. in Cambridge, 3 Feb., 1818, Lucy Clark, dau. Rev. Henry and Mary (Clark) Ware, b. in Hingham, 6 June, 1791; d. in Northboro', 10 Feb., 1866. He d. there 23 Feb., 1873. Ch. all b. in Northboro'.

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ii. MARY WARE, b. 7 Mch., 1819; m. 1 Sept., 1840, Joshua Jewett Johnson, M. D., of Northboro'. Children:—

1. *Harriet Hall*, b. 16 May, 1842; m. 1 Oct., 1873, William Henry Johnson. Ch.:— 1. *Frederick Hosmer*, b. 17 Apr., 1875. 2. *Sarah Locke*, b. 23 Dec., 1876. 3. *Richard Ware*, b. 27 Aug., 1879. 4. *Joseph Allen*, b. 21 June, 1882.

2. *Sarah Elizabeth*, b. 2 June, 1844; d. 16 May, 1847.

3. *Richard Lewis*, b. 6 July, 1847; d. 10 Aug., 1852.

4. *Mary Louisa*, b. 7 Mch., 1851; d. 22 Sept., 1854.

5. *Robert Lewis*, b. 15 Oct., 1855; d. 17 June, 1861.

6. *Henry Ware*, b. 5 Oct., 1859; d. 8 July, 1861.

7. *Ethel* (adopted), b. 6 Oct., 1860; d. 6 Sept., 1865.

112. ii. JOSEPH HENRY⁷, b. 21 Aug., 1820.

113. iii. THOMAS PRENTISS⁷, b. 7 July, 1822.

iv. ELIZABETH WATERHOUSE, b. 29 June, 1824; d. 15 July, 1893.

v. LUCY CLARK, b. 29 Oct., 1826; m. 1 Oct., 1857, Albert E. Powers of Lansingburgh, N. Y., where she still resides. Children:—

1. *Joseph Allen*, b. 28 June, 1858; m. 19 Nov., 1885, Emma Tibbits. Ch.:— *Helen*, b. 28 Aug., 1886.

2. *Mabel* (adopted).

114. vi. EDWARD AUGUSTUS HOLYOKE⁷, b. 15 Aug., 1828.

115. vii. WILLIAM FRANCIS⁷, b. 5 Sept., 1830.

73. ELLIS⁶, son *Phineas*⁵ (3S) b. in Medfield, 10 Sept., 1792; resided on the old homestead, being assisted in the manage-

* Drake's Hist. Middlesex County, ii, p. 494

† I am indebted for these items to the "Memorial of Joseph and Lucy Clark Allen," published by their children in 1891. The book contains much of interest, and for fuller detail I would refer my readers to this work.

ment of the farm by his five sons, and took an active interest in the great questions of his time:—

"His venerable head, with erect form, and elastic step, was seen in nearly all conventions of the advocates of the reforms of the day in eastern Massachusetts. His honored and much loved friend, William Lloyd Garrison, wrote of him:— 'I shall always hold him in remembrance as one of the tried and true of the old Guard of Freedom, whose feet were planted upon the Everlasting Rock, whose faith and courage never faltered as to the ultimate triumph of the righteous cause. That triumph he happily lived to witness with the joy and thanksgiving of Simeon of old, and towards its achievement he did his part by example, testimony, and works.'"^{*}

He m. 13 Apr., 1814, Lucy, dau. Capt. Benjamin Lane of Scituate, who d. in Medfield, 1 June, 1889; he d. in West Newton, 6 Mch., 1875. Ch. all b. in Medfield.

116. i. WILLIAM COOPER⁷, b. 20 Jan., 1815.
 117. ii. GEORGE ELLIS⁷, b. 15 Apr., 1817.
 118. iii. JOSEPH ADDISON⁷, b. 25 Apr., 1819.
 iv. LUCY MARIA, b. 5 Aug., 1821; m. 14 Oct., 1842, James Davis of Northboro'. Ch.:— 1. *Joseph Allen*, b. 12 Aug., 1843; killed in battle of Chancellorsville, Va., in 1863. 2. *James Throckmorton*, b. 3 Nov., 1845; d. 5 Aug., 1847. 3. *George Dolor*, b. 6 Nov., 1847. 4. *Fanny Eva*, b. 21 Oct., 1849. 5. *Abby Anna*, b. 25 June, 1851. 6. *Charles Sedgwick*, b. 12 June, 1853. 7. *Lucy Ellen*, b. 22 Mch., 1855. 8. *Frederick Gale*, b. 13 Aug., 1862.
 119. v. NATHANIEL TOPLIFF⁷, b. 29 Sept., 1823.
 vi. FANNY, b. 17 Dec., 1825; d. 17 Oct., 1831.
 vii. ABIGAIL ELLIS, b. 17 May, 1828; m. 29 Dec., 1852, Charles Dana Davis of Syracuse, N. Y.
 120. viii. JAMES THEODORE⁷, b. 29 Aug., 1831.

74. ASA SMITH⁶, son *Phineas*⁵ (38) b. in Medfield, 21 June, 1797; was chosen deacon of the Congregational church in Walpole when twenty-three years of age, and in 1823 removed to western N. Y.:—

"Carrying with him the New England habits of industry and perseverance, he soon had a small farm cleared, and rejoiced in waxing fields of wheat and corn. . . . he taught school during the winter months, conducted services on Sundays, taught singing school, and soon was acknowledged as a leading citizen in every good work. . . . a moderator at all meetings of citizens, assessor, town clerk, captain of a military company, justice of the peace, and finally county treasurer and judge of a county court. . . . Finally, he retired from his honorable and influential position to devote himself to the ministry. . . . During part of his early life he had been brought up among relatives who held doctrines more nearly Calvinistic than the rest of the family; and these he adopted and retained through life, though modified by a genial disposition and kindly affections. He moved farther and farther west, living for some years in southwestern Wisconsin and spent his last years as missionary in Iowa."[†]

He m. 1st, Lydia Kingsbury of Walpole, who d. in Dodgeville, Wis., 14 Aug., 1847; m. 2dly, 2 Oct., 1850, Martha Jane (Barney), widow of Albert Camp; she d. 13 Apr., 1877; he d. 7 Nov., 1876. Children:—

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- i. FRANCES ABIGAIL, b. in Walpole, 9 Oct., 1820; d. in Schuyler, N. Y., 29 May, 1823.
- ii. HARRIET ATWOOD, b. in Walpole, 14 Dec., 1822; d. in Cuba, N. Y., 18 July, 1837.
121. iii. THOMAS SCOTT⁷, b. 26 July, 1825.
- iv. FRANCES ABIGAIL, b. 8 May, 1827; she went to California as a teacher, and m. 12 Apr., 1854, Samuel Gove of Stockton, Cal., who d. in 1856.
- v. GEORGIANA ASPASIA, b. 26 Dec., 1829; went to California as a teacher by the overland route, and m. 16 Nov., 1854, William H. Lyon of Stockton, Cal. Ch.:—
1. *Francis Allen*, b. 27 Nov., 1855; d. 16 Nov., 1864.
 2. *William Henry*, b. 3 Dec., 1857; d. 12 Oct., 1858.
 3. *Virginia Augusta*, b. 14 Aug., 1859; m. 25 Dec., 1890, Edward A. Roberts of Sacramento, Cal.
 4. *George Washington*, b. 22 Feb., 1862; m. 24 Feb., 1885, Julia R. Dixon of Fresno, Cal.
 5. *William Herbert*, b. 22 Mch., 1864; m. 6 Dec., 1888, Ada Huggins. Ch.:—*Frank Farrington*, b. 18 Jan., 1890.
 6. *Miriam Allen*, b. 7 Nov., 1865; m. 17 May, 1887, John Sterling Ch.:—*Hattie*, b. 9 May, 1889.
 7. *Kingsbury Lee*, b. 24 Dec., 1869; d. 24 Apr., 1870.
- vi. RUTH ANN, b. in Angelica, N. Y., 3 July, 1832.
122. vii. WILLIAM WIRT⁷, b. in Angelica, 29 July, 1834.
- viii. HARRIET ELIZABETH ATWOOD, b. 19 July, 1837; m. 21 Aug., 1862, John Reid of Stockton, Cal. Ch.:—1. *Bessie L.*, b. 2 Aug., 1863. 2. *Robert Asa*, b. 17 Apr., 1865. 3. *Mary*, b. 17 April, 1865; d. 24 May, 1866. 4. *Lucy A.*, b. 18 Oct., 1867; m. 8 Sept., 1890, Allen Hovey Newell of Stockton, Cal. 5. *John Allen*, b. 8 Mch., 1876.
- ix. ALMA ANNETTE, b. 3 May, 1840; m. 1 Jan., 1863, Elbert Smith of Stockton. Ch.:—1. *William Sidney*, b. 3 Mch., 1864; d. 29 Jan., 1867. 2. *Lydia Kingsbury*, b. 13 Nov., 1860. 3. *Robert Russell*, b. 6 June, 1870. 4. *Thomas Allen*, b. in Napa, Cal., 15 Sept., 1873.
- x. MARY ADNA, b. 6 Jan., 1845.
123. xi. ALBERT BARNES⁷, b. 10 Sept., 1851.
- xii. CLARA AUGUSTA, b. 28 May, 1853; unmarried.
- xiii. NETTIE ANNIS, b. 15 June, 1855; m. 8 Nov., 1875, Luaian F. Tuttle of Clare Lake, Iowa, and d. in California, — Nov., 1887. Ch.:—1. *Perez Allen*, b. 1 May, 1877. 2. *Funny*, b. 1 Jan., 1879. 3. *Ray D.*, b. in 1882.
75. PHINEAS⁶, son *Phincas*³ (38) b. in Medfield, 15 Oct., 1801; graduated at Harvard College in 1825, and was for many years principal of the academy in Concord, afterwards in Northfield, and later assistant in the English and Classical School in West Newton:—

"A modest and unostentatious man, a representative of the old-fashioned pedagogue, a man whose every thought seemed to be given to the pursuit or giving of knowledge, deeply impressed with the importance and responsibility of his calling, as regular as the sun, the personification of faithfulness. Thoroughly conversant with the ancient languages, as with French and Spanish, he was also an excellent teacher in the common and higher English branches and mathematics. No pleasure was so great to him as that of teach-

ing and he was able to continue with unabated zeal to within four days of his death."*

He m 3 Sept., 1828, Clarissa Fiske, who d. 29 Nov., 1887; he d. in Newton. 25 May. 1885. Children:—

- i. FRANCIS EUGENE, b. 27 Feb., 1830; d. 2 May, 1830
 124. ii. HORATIO FISKE⁷, b. 4 Aug., 1831.
 125. iii. ROBERT ALFRED⁷, b. 20 July, 1833.
 126. iv. GEORGE EDGAR⁷, b. 2 Mch., 1838.
 - v. CHARLES EUGENE, b. 20 July, 1841; d. 11 Feb., 1864.
 - vi. CLARA EVERETT, b. 25 Aug., 1846; m. Charles Chauncy Chamberlain Ch.:— 1. *Clara Elizabeth*, b. 4 Apr., 1868. 2. *Effie Eugenia*, b. 29 June, 1872. 3. *Anna Louise*, b. 22 Oct., 1886.
76. NOAH⁶, son *Phineas*⁵ (38) b. in Medfield, 22 Apr., 1807; m. Paulina Sarah, dau Ruggles Whiting of Dover, who d.
127. i. LUCIUS W.⁷, b. 5 Aug., 1835.
 - ii. HELEN ZOE, b. 22 Mch., 1838
 - iii. SARAH PAULINA, b. 2 Aug., 1842; m. 26 Oct., 1865, Jerome S. Daniels of Franklin, and had one child, *Helen Zenobia*.
77. WILLARD⁶, son *Oliver*⁵ (39) b. in Medfield, —, 1794; resided on his grandfather's estate where Mr. Wm. C. Allen now lives; m. 4 Jan., 1818, Charlotte, dau. David and Lydia (Cleveland) Hill, who d. 23 Dec., 1858; he d. 2 Apr., 1856 Ch. all b. in Medfield.
128. i. WILLARD IZLETON⁷, b. 27 May, 1820.
 129. ii. RUEL CLARK⁷, b. 6 Oct., 1822.
 - iii. OLIVER JOHNSON, b. 6 June, 1825; m. 1st, 3 June, 1850, Sarah A. Weld of Medfield; m. 2dly, Susan A. Partridge.
 - iv. SARAH ANNA, b. 25 Oct., 1827; m. 1st, Prentiss Leland of Sherborn; 2dly, Phineas Willard
 - v. ALBERT SUMNER, b. 2 June, 1842; m. Lizzie Whitten.
78. HEZEKIAH⁶, son *Timothy*⁵ (41) b. in Dedham (now Dover), 12 Dec., 1775; inherited the homestead, which he sold in 1845-50 to his brother Jared. In 1803 he was chosen hog-reeve of Dover; assessor in 1804; clerk *pro tem.* in 1805. In 1810 he was selected as one of the committee to extend the town's invitation to the Rev. John Brewer to become its minister at a salary of 550 dollars; was also one of the committee of seven to procure plans for a meeting-house, to decide on the location and report to the district. He m. in Dover, 5 Aug., 1802, Julitta, dau. William and Hannah (Ellis) Whiting, b. in Dedham, 1 May, 1777; d. in Louisville, Ky., 21 July, 1855; he d. in Orange, N. J., 18 Nov., 1858. Ch. all b. in Dover.

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- i. ALMIRA, b. 25 Nov., 1803; m. in Dover, 22 Apr., 1824, Leonard Perry, b. in Natick, 29 Mch., 1799; d. in Baltimore, 4 June, 1856; she d. in Oakland, Md., 25 Nov., 1876. Children:—
1. *Mary Jones*, b. 31 Jan., 1826; d. 1 Sept., 1849.
 2. *Allston Allen*, b. 15 Sept., 1828; m. in Baltimore, Md., 25 June, 1856, Annie E., dau. John Stow, and d. in Baltimore, 16 Aug., 1889. Ch.:—1 *Johu Stow*, b. 21 Apr., 1857; d. 19 Apr., 1859. 2 *Mary Minard*, b. 13 Aug., 1861. 3. *Nannie*, b. 17 May, 1864. 4. *Allston Allen*, b. 1 Oct., 1866. 5. *Carleton*, b. 4 June, 1868. 6. *Alice*, b. 8 Mch., 1870. 7. *Grace*, b. 14 Sept., 1872.
 3. *George Leonard*, b. 19 Apr., 1842; m. in Baltimore, 27 Nov., 1868, Mary Norris, and d. there, 20 Nov., 1872. Ch.:—*Henrietta Tyson*, b. 12 July, 1872.

ii. JULIA, b. 2 Aug., 1805; m. at Christ's Church in Hartford, Conn., 30 July, 1835, Rev. Peter Minard, and d. in St. Louis, Mo., 4 Oct., 1840. Ch.:—*Elizabeth Catherine*, b. 2 Mch., 1837; is a member of the Episcopal Sisterhood of the Good Shepherd in St. Louis.

iii. CATHERINE, b. 4 Mch., 1806; d. 28 Oct., 1829.

iv. HARRIET, b. 27 Aug., 1808; d. — Sept., 1838.

130. v. ALLSTON⁷, b. 30 Sept., 1810.

vi. HANNAH ELLIS, b. 22 Sept., 1813; m. in Baltimore, Md., 16 Oct., 1845, Luther W. Mason, b. in Turner, Me., 3 Apr., 1818, who has gained a world-wide reputation as the originator of a system of musical study for public schools. Children:—

1. *Henry*, b. in Baltimore, 26 Aug., 1846; d. 20 Nov., 1849.

2. *Mary Elizabeth*, b. 29 Nov., 1847.

3. *Virginia Almira*, b. in Frederick City, Md., 9 Nov., 1850; m. in Boston, 2 July, 1877, Horace Irish. Ch.:—1. *Luther Mason*, and 2. *Lewis Monroe*, b. 27 May, 1870.

3. *Allen Marshall*, b. 26 July, 1884.

4. *Catherine Allen*, b. in Louisville, Ky., 17 Nov., 1854.

79. TIMOTHY⁶, son *Timothy*⁵ (41) b. in Dedham (Dover), 19 May, 1782; m.

4 June, 1807,

Abigail Fisher,

b. 24 Feb.,

1785; d. 28

Jan., 1859; he d. 3 Apr., 1869. Children:—

i. LUCY FISHER, b. 21 Oct., 1808; d. 3 Aug., 1855.

ii. FISHER AMES, b. 29 Sept., 1814; m. in 1855, Mary Monroe, and d. 25 July, 1883. Ch.:—1. *Herbert Monroe*. 2. *Fisher*. 3. *Annie*.

131. iii. SAMUEL FISHER⁷, b. 19 Apr., 1822.

132. iv. TIMOTHY⁷, b. 8 Sept., 1825.

80. THADDEUS⁶, son *Timothy*⁵ (41) b. in Dover, 14 May, 1787; his early life was spent in his native town, where he taught the village school while preparing for college; later he was copyist to Prof. Shurtleff of Dartmouth, who in return assisted him in his studies. He graduated at Brown's University in 1812, intending to follow the medical profes-

sion, but failing health forced him to relinquish his studies, when he formed a partnership with his brother Timothy, who conducted a wholesale produce business in Boston. In 1820

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he opened a private school in Chauncey Street, Boston, which proved successful for many years; in 1857 he was a member of the General Court, and later, for several years a member of the school committee of Boston. He was greatly interested in the political questions of his time, and a close student of American political history, being the author of a work in three volumes, entitled "An Inquiry into the Views, Principles, Services and Influence of the Leading Men in the Organization of Our Union," which is an exhaustive treatise of the subject and highly esteemed by those wishing to study the principles of our government.* He was remarkable for his retentive memory, erect carriage and firm step at the advanced age of ninety years. He m. 1st, in Needham, 27 Nov., 1814, Clarissa Bullard, who d. in Boston, 8 Mch., 1815; m. 2dly, in Boston, 2 June, 1816, Ann (Ballard), widow of Joseph Hunt, who d. there, 15 Apr., 1830; m. 3dly, 3 May, 1836, Sophia Bathsheba (Coolidge) Frothingham, who d. 15 Apr., 1883. He d. 18 Apr., 1883. Ch. all b in Boston.

133. i. JOSEPH HUNT⁷, b. 19 Feb., 1817.
 ii. JAMES WOODWARD, b. 23 Feb., 1818; d. 23 Nov., 1820.
 iii. CLARISSA BULLARD, b. 25 Jan., 1820; m. in Boston, May, 1842, David Tyler, and d. in Dedham (Readville), Mch., 1851. Ch.:—
Clarissa, b. Mch., 1851; d. in 1860
 iv. ELIZABETH CARTER, b. 15 Apr., 1822; d. in Jamaica Plain, 29 Mch., 1892; unmarried.
 134. v. JAMES WOODWARD⁷, b. 8 Mch., 1824.

81. JARED⁶, son *Timothy*³ (41) b. in Dover, 11 Apr., 1889; purchased the homestead (near Pegan Hill), of his brother Hezekiah, and was the last of the Allens to reside there. He m. in Dover, 4 Nov., 1816, Hannah Richards, b. 22 Dec., 1791; d. 17 Sept., 1852; he d. 9 Jan., 1874. Ch. all b. in Dover.

- i. MARTHA, b. 2 Aug., 1817; d. 24 Dec., 1818.
 ii. MARTHA BIRD, b. 4 Jan., 1820; m. 14 Nov., 1850, John P. Bachelor, and d. in Dover (at the homestead), 6 Oct., 1884. Children:—
 1. *Philip Allen*, b. 14 Mch., 1854; m. in Natick, 13 Dec., 1876, Mary Elizabeth Farrington, b. 3 Sept., 1850. s p.
 2. *Hannah Richards*, b. 4 Aug., 1856; d. 23 Feb., 1859.

* I am indebted to Mr. Frank Smith of Dover for the facts above related.

3. *Jared Allen*, b. 21 Apr., 1859; m. in Sherborn, 18 Apr., 1880, Annie N. Greene. Ch.:— 1. *Kate Brd.*, b. 18 May, 1881; d. 21 July, 1882. 2. *Lucy Richards*, b. 7 May, 1885.
- iii. SUMNER STANLEY, b. 1 Apr., 1822; m. 1 Feb., 1860, Eliza Bradley Gilman, who d. 24 Dec., 1860; he d. 6 Nov., 1865.
82. WILLARD^d, son *William Pitt*^s (43) b. in Dover, 5 Aug., 1793; m. in Montague, 22 Apr., 1818, Elizabeth Field Nettleton, who d. in Deerfield, 19 Feb., 1871; he d. there, 30 Jan., 1865. Children:—
- i. WILLARD MASON, b. in Montague, 2 Apr., 1819; m. 10 July, 1855, Lydia Elkins of Effingham County, Ga., and d. in Savannah, Ga., 11 May, 1857. s. p.
 - ii. MARTHA MALINDA, b. in Deerfield, 23 Feb., 1821; m. there, 7 Jan., 1845, Horatio O. Rockwood, and d. 2 Jan., 1862. Ch.:— 1. *Willard Allen*, b. 13 Nov., 1846; m. — Dec., 1873. E— Westover of New York City, and d. there, of the smallpox, 9 Jan., 1874. 2. *George Thomas*, b. 22 May, 1850; d. 4 Aug., 1850. 3. *Henry Arthur*, b. 11 July, 1853; d. 14 Feb., 1854.
136. iii. AMOS MORRILL⁷, b. in Deerfield, 31 Mch., 1823.
- iv. GEORGE NETTLETON, b. 7 July, 1825; d. in hospital in Baton Rouge, La., 22 Aug., 1863.
 - v. ELIJAH CRANE, b. 20 Sept., 1827; m. in Greenfield, 20 Sept., 1864, Adelaide Victoria Morgan of Northfield. s. p.
 - vi. ELIZABETH, b. 7 Aug., 1831; m. 5 June, 1861, Henry C. Hale of So. Deerfield. s. p.
137. vii. WILLIAM PITT⁷, b. 10 Mch., 1835.
83. AMOS^d, son *William Pitt*^s (43) b. in Medfield, 18 Oct., 1799; m. 25 July, 1826, Adeline Goodnow of Natick, who d. 27 Sept., 1871; he d. 28 July, 1870. Children:—
- i. ELIZABETH, b. 13 Aug., 1829; d. in 1841.
 - ii. AMOS C., b. 17 Oct., 1831; d. — Feb., 1871.
 - iii. MARTHA B., b. 26 May, 1833; m. Charles Whiting of Dover.
 - iv. JAMES M., } b. 25 May, 1837; d. same year.
 - v. JOHN M., }
84. GEORGE MINOT^d, son *Morrill*^s (44) b. in Pembroke, 19 Feb., 1802; m. 18 May, 1828, Hannah E. Otis of Scituate, who d. 28 Aug., 1889; he d. 1 July, 1878. Ch. all b. in Scituate.
- i. HANNAH DEAN, b. 25 Feb., 1829; m. 6 Sept., 1863, Milton J. Miller of Springfield, Ohio.
 - ii. JOSEPH, b. 24 Mch., 1831; d. 16 Sept., 1831.
 - iii. CORNELIA MARIA, b. 10 July, 1832.
 - iv. JOHN ENSIGN, b. 15 Sept., 1835; d. 1 Apr., 1837.
 - v. GEORGE OTIS, b. 17 May, 1838; m. 8 Dec., 1880, Deborah N. Hatch of Scituate. s. p.
85. WILLIAM PALEY^d, son *Morrill*^s (44) b. in Pembroke, 27 Sept., 1815; m. 16 Oct., 1837, Abby B. Otis of Scituate. Ch.:—

- i. SARAH B., b. 12 Feb., 1839; m. 5 Apr., 1866, Davis W. Howard of Braintree. Ch.: — 1. *William Guild*, b. 16 Nov., 1868. 2. *Francis Allen*, b. 22 Feb., 1870.
138. ii. MARY L., b. 24 Apr., 1841; d. 25 May, 1844 —
- iii. WILLIAM H.⁷, b. 18 Aug., 1843.
- iv. JAMES O., b. 17 Apr., 1846; d. 30 Aug., 1860.
- v. FLORENCE T., b. 4 Dec., 1849; m. 16 Feb., 1867, Frederick T. Hunt of Weymouth. Ch.: — 1. *Frederick*, b. 5 Sept., 1872. 2. *Abbie Otis*, b. 1 June, 1877. 3. *Kosamond D.*, b. 15 Oct., 1882.
- vi. AMY F., b. 12 Sept., 1851; m. 16 Jan., 1866, Charles W. Frye of Scituate. Ch.: — 1. *Ralph Bridge*, b. 10 July, 1877. 2. *George Minot*, b. 2 Mch., 1882. 3. *Hannah Otis*, b. 19 Sept., 1886.
- vii. FRANK B., b. 22 Oct., 1853; unmarried.
- viii. NELLIE W., b. 5 Sept., 1856; m. 19 Feb., 1880, Charles T. Gallagher of Boston. Ch.: — 1. *Morrill Allen*, b. 6 June, 1883. 2. *Amy*, b. 9 Apr., 1885.
86. HENRY WARE⁶, son *Morrill*⁶ (44) b. in Pembroke, 6 Apr., 1822; m. 1st, in 1851, Mary Smith of Troy, Ohio; m. 2dly, in Troy, 7 July, 1853, Pamela Hale Coleman Ch.: —
- i. MARY DEAN, b. 17 Dec., 1854; d. 7 Aug., 1855.
139. ii. HENRY MORRILL⁷, b. 27 Sept., 1856.
- iii. CHARLES COLEMAN, b. 17 Dec., 1858.
140. iv. HORACE⁷, b. 16 Sept., 1860.
- v. FLORENCE PAMELA, b. 29 Sept., 1862.
- vi. EMMA, b. 5 Sept., 1864.
- vii. WALTER, } b. 19 Apr., 1867; { d. 24 June, 1867.
- viii. MARTIN, } { d. 19 June, 1867.
- ix. AUGUSTA, b. 6 Oct., 1868.
- x. BERTHA, b. 22 Jan., 1871.
87. LEMUEL⁶, son *Elijah*⁶ (45) b. 14 Apr., 1796; m. Elvira Baker, who d. 26 Aug., 1831; m. 2dly, Luthera W. Woods. Children: —
- i. CAROLINE E., b. 28 May, 1821.
- ii. OTIS N., b. 19 Dec., 1825; d. in 1855.
- iii. MASSENA B., b. 5 Aug., 1828; m. Olive H. Henry of Brimfield.
- iv. ELVIRA M., b. 12 Mch., 1835.
- v. MERRICK W., b. 27 Feb., 1837.
88. SANDERS⁶, son *Elijah*⁶ (45) b. 14 Aug., 1796; m. Judith Boyd. Children: —
- i. EMILY, b. 25 Jan., 1820.
- ii. ELIJAH, b. 17 Sept., 1822; resided in Brimfield.
- iii. GEORGE S., b. 1 Aug., 1827.
- iv. HENRY A., b. 6 Feb., 1836; m. Phebe E. Warner, and resided in Brimfield.
89. FRANCIS D⁶, son *Willard*⁶ (46) b. in Sturbridge, 13 Mch., 1796; m. Olive Kingsbury, and had: —
- i. CLARINDA, b. 14 Apr., 1824.
- ii. ALFRED W., b. 28 Jan., 1827; d. 15 Feb., 1858.
- iii. JAMES, b. 28 Dec., 1831; d. 21 Oct., 1847.
- iv. WILLIAM, b. 10 Oct., 1835.
- v. MARY, b. 15 Dec., 1838; m. ——— Perry of Sturbridge.

90. CHARLES N.⁶, son *Simcon*⁵ (48) b. in Sturbridge, 4 Sept., 1815; m. Elizabeth Hooker, and had:—
- i. JANE E., b. 31 Nov., 1838; d. 1853.
 - ii. JOHN B., b. 27 June, 1841.
 - iii. CHARLOTTE A., b. 3 Sept., 1843.
 - iv. JOSIE M., b. 5 May, 1846.
 - v. ABBY B., b. 13 Sept., 1849; d. before 1869.
 - vi. LIZZIE J., d. in infancy.
 - vii. LIZZIE B., b. 11 Feb., 1857.
91. AMASA,⁶ son *Jacob*⁵ (49) b. in Sturbridge, 7 Feb., 1784; was a physician in Whitehall, N. Y.; studied medicine with his uncle, Dr. Abraham Allen of Salem, N. Y., and graduated at the Medical College, Castleton, Vt. By wife Fanny Steel he had:—
- i. RICHARD S., b. 9 Nov., 1814; m. Ann Eliza Dupuy of Elkton, Ala., having six children, who were living in Vaiden, Carroll Co., Miss., in 1869.
 - ii. HORACE S., b. 14 Aug., 1818; m. Mary A. Lightbody, and was living in Jersey City, N. J., in 1869.
 - iii. MARY, b. 16 May, 1823; m. Michael J. Myers of Whitehall, N. Y., and resided in Poughkeepsie, N. Y.
92. GEORGE⁶, son *Ephraim*⁵ (50) b. 12 Jan., 1806; m. Caroline Harvey, and d. in 1865, leaving:—
- i. CHARLES H. (a physician.)
 - ii. GEORGE.
 - iii. JAMES H.
 - iv. CAROLINE.
93. WILLIAM PITT⁶, son *Ephraim*⁵ (50) b. 14 Feb., 1808; m. Harmon Smith in Hartford, N. Y., and d. in Whitehall, N. Y., in 1854 leaving:—
- i. WILLIAM PITT.
 - ii. CAROLINE.
94. CHARLES G.⁶, son *Abel*⁵ (51) b. in Sturbridge, 5 Mch., 1809; m. Mary Demton, and resided in Sturbridge. Children:—
- i. CHARLES H., b. 21 Sept., 1837.
 - ii. JULIA D., b. 7 Dec., 1840.
 - iii. MARY A., b. 26 Nov., 1846.
95. PARSONS⁶, son *Alford*⁵ (52) b. 16 Feb., 1802; m. Lucy Brown, and resided in Brimfield. Children:—
- i. EDWIN B., b. 29 June, 1831; m. Sabina Fuller, and d. in 1859. Ch.:—
Harlem P., b. 11 Nov., 1856.
 - ii. DWIGHT P., b. 22 Apr., 1832; m. Josephine Shaw, and had:—
Waldo B.
 - iii. GEORGE G., b. 18 Jan., 1840; was a merchant in Chicago in 1860.
96. JOSEPH LATHROP⁶, son *Ezra*⁵ (53) b. in Holland, 24 Sept., 1815; m. Phebe S. Partridge, and had:—

- i. CYNTHIA P., b. — June, 1840; m. George Homer of Boston.
- ii. LIZZIE M., b. — Jan., 1845.
- iii. MARY C., b. — Apr., 1848
And two other children, who d. in infancy.

97. NEHEMIAH⁶, son *Sabin*⁵ (54) b. in Whitehall, N. Y., 17 Sept., 1795; m. Hannah Dunham, and had: —

- i. ALSON.
- ii. HEZEKIAH.
- iii. LUCINDA.
- iv. JAMES.
- v. JOHN M.
- vi. WARREN.

98. CORBIN⁶, son *Sabin*⁵ (54) b. in Whitehall, N. Y., 24 May 1803; m. Elvira Beebee, and had: —

- i. JAMES SABIN, who d. in 1850 on his way to California.
- ii. CORBIN, said to have been living in Kansas in 1869.

99. LIBERTY⁶, son *Henry*⁵ (56) b. in Sturbridge, 11 Sept. 1809, and resided on the homestead; m. in 1833. Elizabeth Aldrich, and had b. in Sturbridge: —

- i. LAURINDA E., b. 30 June, 1837.
- ii. WILLIAM L., b. 17 Dec., 1838.
- iii. JOEL H., b. 24 Mch., 1840; d. young.
- iv. MARY L., b. 25 Apr., 1843.
- v. GILES WALDO, b. 1 Dec., 1844; enlisted in the war of the Rebellion in which he was taken prisoner and confined in Salisbury Prison returning home, where he d. in Mch., 1865, from the effects of ill-treatment and starvation.
- vi. JULIA E., b. 17 June, 1840.
- vii. ADELAIDE M., b. 9 July, 1851.
- viii. CAROLINE A., b. 11 Feb., 1854.

100. DWIGHT⁷, son *Walter*⁶ (61), had: —

- i. MARY.
- ii. FREDERIC.
- iii. FRANCIS.
- iv. ALFRED.
- v. CAROLINE.
- vi. MARTHA.
- vii. CHARLES.
- viii. MARY.

101. GEORGE⁷, son *Walter*⁶ (61) had: —

- i. MARY.
- ii. DWIGHT.
- iii. CHARLES.
- iv. GEORGE.
- v. JULIA.
- vi. JOHN.

102. ASAHEL⁷, son *David*⁶ (64) b. in Leominster, 5 June, 1803; m. Nancy R. Kemson, and d. in 1888. Children: —

- i. NANCY E., b. 1826; d. 1827.
- ii. FRANCIS C., b. 1830; d. 1831.
- iii. SARAH E., b. 15 May, 1833; m. Amos Howe.
- iv. JOHN W., b. 1834; d. 1835.
- v. ASAHEL D., b. 1836; d. 1836.
- vi. NANCY D., b. 1840; d. 1841.
- vii. HARRIET A., b. 1842; d. 1846.
- viii. MARY A., b. 3 Dec., 1844; m. — Cunningham, and d. in 1882.

103. DAVID C.^r, son *David*^b (64) b. 30 July, 1815; m. Lucy W. Lyon, who d. 7 Apr., 1853; m. 2dly. Maria A. Blodgett. Children:—
- i. CHARLES FRANCIS, b. 27 May, 1843; d. 29 Aug., 1843.
141. ii. GEORGE ALBERT^s, b. 20 Mch., 1845.
 iii. HELEN ELIZABETH, b. 20 Aug., 1847; d. 5 Dec., 1847.
104. AUGUSTUS^r, son *Jeremiah*^b (65) b. 30 Jan., 1817; m. Maria Davis, and had:—
- i. ALFRED.
 - ii. HATTIE.
 - iii. EMMA.
105. OTIS^r, son *Jonathan*^b (66) b. 12 Sept., 1808; resides in Lowell; m. 12 Oct., 1831, Louisa, dau. Thomas and Mary (Carrier) Bixby of Litchfield, N. H., b. 29 Mch., 1810; d. 25 Jan., 1896. Ch. all b. in Lowell.
- i. SARAH JANE, b. 8 July, 1832; m. — Aug., 1840, Edward A. Hosmer, who d. in Kansas, 17 July, 1855; m. 2dly, 28 June, 1858, Corydon Winch of Jersey City, N. J., and d. 27 Apr., 1865. Ch.:—*Helen Louisa*, d. 24 Sept., 1855, ae. 11 months. By 2d husband she had three ch. who d. in infancy.
141. ii. THOMAS OTIS^s, b. 29 Apr., 1835.
 142. iii. CHARLES HERBERT^s, b. 15 Apr., 1848.
106. ASAHEL PLIMPTON^r, son *Asahel*^b (67) b. in Shrewsbury, 17 May, 1806; removed to Lancaster, N. H., with his father; m. in Boston in 1831, Rebecca Bacon Haven, b. in Natick, 18 July, 1809; d. 29 Sept., 1879; he d. in Lancaster, 14 June, 1889. Children:—
- i. FREDERICK MADISON, b. in Boston 3 Jan., 1832; d. in Lancaster, N. H., 2 Sept., 1850.
143. ii. EDWARD FRANKLIN^s, b. in Worcester 16 Aug., 1833.
 iii. HELEN REBECCA, b. in Lancaster 7 Apr., 1835; m. 16 Dec., 1862, Daniel Swett of Manchester, N. H. Ch.: 1. *Josephine*, b. 30 Mch., 1864. 2. *Eugene W.*, b. 1 Apr., 1860.
- iv. SARAH E., b. 25 Oct., 1838; m. 3 Nov., 1870, Joseph Cutting of Waltham. Ch.: 1. *Mary Elizabeth*, b. 13 Dec., 1871. 2. *Alice Amelia*, b. 6 May, 1873. 3. *Florence Gertrude*, b. 8 Apr., 1874. 4. *Walter Joseph*, b. 13 Sept., 1877. 5. *Chester Joseph*, b. 28 Feb., 1883.
- v. MARY A., b. 3 Dec., 1840; m. 18 Sept., 1873, Monson Green of Shelburne, N. H.
- vi. WILLIAM H., b. 23 Nov., 1842; d. in Washington, D. C., 8 Feb., 1863, Co. L., — Regt., N. H. Vol.

144. vii. GEORGE L.^s, b. 6 Jan., 1845; changed his name to Charles.
 viii. EDITH M., b. 3 Jan., 1847; d. 18 Mch., 1863.
 ix. ABBIE A., b. 31 Mch., 1850; m. — Nov., 1881, Monzo Earl of Waltham, who d. in 1883.
 x. ALICE L., b. 13 Oct., 1853; m. about 1870 Alanson Cornell of Manchester; m. 2dly — May, 1879, D. W. Scribner, and d. in Portland, Me., 25 Dec., 1890.

107. DANIEL WALDO^r, son *Isaac*⁶ (67) b. in Shrewsbury, 17 May, 1811; m. Marietta E. Carter; m. 2dly, — Jan., 1855. Lettice Boyle. Ch.: —
- i. HENRY CLAY, b. 5 Mch., 1848.
 - ii. CELESTIA ELIZABETH, b. 10 July, 1850.
 - iii. MARY MARIA, b. 3 Oct., 1851.
 - iv. LUCY CATHERINE, b. 7 Sept., 1856.
108. JONAS HEMENWAY^r, son *Noah*⁶ (68) b. in Shrewsbury, 14 Jan., 1807; resided in Shrewsbury and m. there, 4 Dec., 1831. Clauinda, dau. Lyman and Sylvia (Slocumb) Howe, b. 5 Feb., 1813. Ch. b. in Shrewsbury.
- i. CHARLES I., b. 12 Mch., 1834; resided in Grafton in 1869.
 - ii. JONAS II., b. 21 Aug., 1836.
109. ASA HENRY^r, son *Noah*⁶ (68) b. in Shrewsbury, 22 Nov., 1815; m. Catherine Black of Holden; and had: —
- i. ELIJAH L., b. 17 Apr., 1838; d. 2 Aug., 1861.
 - ii. MARIA I. H., b. 12 July, 1839.
 - iii. CYRUS B., b. 14 Mch., 1841.
 - iv. SIMON B., b. 6 Dec., 1842.
 - v. MYRON H., b. 4 May, 1845.
 - vi. CATHERINE E., b. 18 Mch., 1847.
 - vii. MARY E., b. 9 Jan., 1850; d. 8 Jan., 1852.
 - viii. JEREMIE E., b. 4 Sept., 1854.
110. ARNOLD LAMB^r, son *Silas*⁶ (69) b. in Shrewsbury, 25 Mch., 1808; m. in Shrewsbury, 26 Feb., 1833. Caroline Maria, dau. Erastus and Livinia (Boyd) Sumner, b. 7 Jan., 1807. He removed to St. Louis, Mo.
111. SIMON HAPGOOD^r, son *Silas*⁶ (69) b. in Shrewsbury, 8 Nov., 1811; m. there, 7 July, 1835, Abigail, dau. Nymphis and Submit (Howe), widow of Edward Kingsbury, b. 7 July, 1811. Removed to St. Louis, Mo., after 1840. Ch.: —
- i. MARY E., b. 10 Nov., 1838; d. 27 Feb., 1840.
112. JOSEPH HENRY^r, son *Joseph*⁶ (72) b. in Northboro', 21 Aug., 1820; graduated Harvard College, 1840; Divinity School, in 1843; A. M. honorary, 1879; D. D., 1890; ordained in Jamaica Plain, 18 Oct., 1842; pastor Unitarian Church in Washington, D. C., 22 Aug., 1847; Bangor, Me., 1850-57; resided in Northboro', 1863-66, when he removed to Cambridge, where he now resides; tutor and lecturer of ecclesiastical history at Harvard College; author "Hebrew Men and Times," "Our Liberal Movement in Theology," and other theological works, and Greek and Latin text books. He m. 22 May, 1845, Anna Miñot Weld of Jamaica Plain. Children: —

- i. LUCY CLARK, b. in Jamaica Plain 7 May, 1846; m. 1 Oct., 1872. Charles Libbey Gage of New York City, Ch.: 1. *Charles Pinckney*, b. 13 Aug., 1873; d. 23 Dec., 1875. 2. *Margaret Weld*, b. 4 Apr., 1876. 3. *Anna Minot*, b. 23 Aug., 1879. 4. *Sybil*, b. 21 Oct., 1880. 5. *Miriam*, b. 16 Dec., 1883.
- ii. MARGARET WELD, b. in Jamaica Plain 10 July, 1847; d. 17 Aug., 1861.
- iii. MARY WARE, b. in Washington, D. C., 23 Apr., 1850.
- iv. RICHARD MINOT, b. in Bangor, Me., 20 Mch., 1853; graduated Harvard College 1874; m. at Cheyenne, Wyo., 12 July, 1890. Virginia (Rudd) Coggeshall s. p.
- v. GARDNER WELD, b. in Bangor, Me., 19 Jan., 1856; graduated at Harvard College 1877; a physician in Boston.
- 145. vi. RUSSELL CARPENTER^s, b. in Jamaica Plain 27 Jan., 1859.

113. THOMAS PRENTISS^r, son *Joseph*^b (72) b. in Northboro', 7 July, 1822; graduated Harvard College, 1842; Divinity School, 1846; ordained in Sterling, 18 Nov., 1846, where he preached for nine years and conducted a private school for boys: taught in New Bedford, 1855-64; associate principal of Classical School in West Newton, 1864-68; m. 17 Nov., 1846, Sarah Alexander Lord of Northfield, and d. in Newton, 26 Nov., 1868. Children:—

- i. GERTRUDE EVERETT, b. 31 Aug., 1847; went to Charleston, S. C., in the spring of 1865 as a teacher, and d. there 10 June following.
- ii. OTIS EVERETT, b. 17 June, 1850.
- iii. ANNIE WARE, b. 14 June, 1852; d. — Mch., 1854.
- iv. CAROLINE PUTNAM, b. 18 Mch., and d. 19 Aug., 1855.
- v. HELEN WARE, b. in New Bedford 16 Apr., 1858; m. 1 Sept., 1886, Lockwood Myrick. Ch.: *Prentiss Allen*, b. 12 Dec., 1888.

114. EDWARD AUGUSTUS HOLYOKE^r, son *Joseph*^b (72) b. in Northboro', 15 Aug., 1828; graduated Bridgewater Normal School, Rensselaer Institute, Troy, N. Y., and Lawrence Scientific School, Cambridge; teacher in Northfield, 1844; Danvers, 1845; North Bridgewater, 1846; Baltimore, Md., 1847; professor Troy Polytechnic School, 1851-5; Friends' Academy in New Bedford, 1855-69; West Newton school, 1872-4; Sherborn, 1874; Northboro', 1882; principal Friends' Seminary, New York City, 1889-95; a writer of various articles in educational magazines, etc. He m. 5 Sept., 1855, Eugenia Sophia, dau. Dr. Tenlon of Newton Corner. Ch., all but two youngest, b. in New Bedford.

- 146. i. KENNETH^s, b. 6 Apr., 1857.
- 147. ii. HENRY WARE^s, b. 6 July, 1861.
- iii. MARGARET ELIZABETH, b. 17 June, 1863.
- iv. CAROLINE STETSON, b. 26 Feb., 1865.
- v. ALBERT POWERS, b. 27 June, 1868; m. in Worcester 26 Dec., 1894, Caroline Freeman, b. in Worcester 27 Nov., 1874; he resides in Cambridge.

- vi. JOSEPH, b. 20 Mch., 1870; is instructor in mathematics in Cornell University.
- vii. LUCY CLARKE, b. in West Newton 17 May, 1873.
- viii. GORDON, b. in Sherborn 5 Feb., 1877; a student in Harvard College.
115. WILLIAM FRANCIS⁷, son *Joseph*⁶ (72) b. in Northboro', 5 Sept., 1830; graduate Harvard College, 1851; A. M., 1866; private tutor New York City, 1851-4; student, Berlin, Gottingen, Rome and Greece, 1854-6; West Newton school, 1856-63; agent of Freedmen's Bureau in South Carolina, Sanitary Commission, Arkansas, and school superintendent, Charleston, S. C., 1863-5; professor Latin and Greek, Antioch College, Ohio, and Military Academy, Englewood, N. J., 1866-7; professor ancient languages and history, State University, Madison, Wis., 1867-89; member Massachusetts Historical Society and author of Greek and Latin text books; a voluminous writer, chiefly historical works. He m. 1st, 2 July, 1862, Mary Tileston, dau. Rev. Henry Lambert of West Newton, who d. 23 Mch., 1865; m. 2dly, 30 June, 1868, Margaret Loring, dau. John Andrews of Newburyport, and d. in Madison, Wis., 9 Dec., 1889. Children:—
- i. KATHARINE, b. 17 Feb., 1865.
 - ii. ANDREW, b. 1 Jan., 1870; m. in Harrisburg, Pa. 9 Oct., 1894, Margaret Isabel Thomas, and resides in Wilmington, Del.
 - iii. WILLIAM WARE, b. 28 Apr., 1873.
 - iv. PHILIP, b. 19 Apr., 1879.
116. WILLIAM COOPER⁷, son *Ellis*⁶ (73) b. in Medfield, 20 Jan., 1815; a machinist by trade and resides in Medfield near the homestead. He m. 1st, Harriet Coggin of Mt. Vernon, N. H., who d. in Medfield, 11 May, 1865; m. 2dly, 14 June, 1882, Abbie D. Kerne. Ch.:—
148. i. WILLIAM COGGIN⁸, b. 23 Oct., 1844.
 - ii. GEORGE ELLIS, b. 3 Apr., 1846; m. Isabella Gardner.
 149. iii. CHARLES THEODORE⁸, b. 3 Feb., 1848.
 - iv. HARRIET GRAZIELLA, b. 14 Feb., 1850; d. 13 Oct., 1876.
 - v. NATHANIEL TOPLIFF, b. 1 July, 1851; d. 11 Jan., 1872.
 - vi. ALPHONSO LAMARTINE, b. 19 Feb., 1854; m. 16 Oct., 1889, Martha A. Weber.
 150. vii. FRANK SHERWIN⁸, b. 13 Oct., 1856.
 151. viii. JAMES FREDERICK⁸, b. 28 Feb., 1858.
 - ix. FANNIE LOUISA, b. 29 Jan., 1860.
 - x. JOSEPH EDWARD, b. 6 Mch., 1862; m. 1 Sept., 1886, Charlotte B. Dyer of Walpole.
117. GEORGE ELLIS⁷, son *Ellis*⁶ (73) b. in Medfield, 15 Apr., 1817; educated in the public schools of his native town, and the Industrial School at Waltham, residing also in Lowell and Walpole, 1837-9; teacher in Bernardston.

Northfield, Walpole, East Medway, Boylston and Northboro'; of singing schools in Alleghany and Cataraugus Counties, N. Y.; grammar schools, Providence, R. I., 1839-50. and Newton Corner, 1850-4; president Newton Horticultural Society and Newton Athenaeum; secretary and treasurer Unitarian Society for fifteen years; member and chairman Newton School Committee fifteen to twenty years; president Common Council five years and Board of Aldermen two years; elected to the Legislature in 1868; associate principal of West Newton school, 1854-88. He m. 25 Apr., 1844, Susan M. Treat of Waltham, who d. 6 Jan., 1888. He d. in Newton, 27 Sept., 1888. Ch. by adoption:—

- i. MINNIE TREAT, b. in Boston, 27 Mch., 1860; m. 23 June, 1881, George M. Chase of Newton and resides in West Philadelphia, Pa.

118. JOSEPH ADDISON^r, son *Ellis*^o (73) b. in Medfield, 25 Apr., 1819; began teaching singing and common schools in 1837, and has been instructor in every grade of school and academy; educational work in Syracuse, N. Y., 1842-60; member Board of Education, 1853-60, and conductor of musical organizations; superintendent State Reform School at Westboro', 1861-7; president State Normal and Training School, Fredonia, N. Y., 1867-9; trustee State Industrial School for Girls at Lancaster, 1876-9; associate principal West Newton school, 1869-81; reappointed superintendent Westboro' Reform School 1881, serving until 1885; associate principal West Newton school, 1886-95; has lectured extensively upon educational and scientific subjects; member Natural History Society and Historical Society of Boston, and Spelling Reform Association, organized in Philadelphia in 1876; has published "Juvenile Offenders," "Methods of Discipline," etc., and "has received the highest commendations of leading educators and reformers." He resides in Medfield on the old homestead. He m. 24 Nov., 1845, Lucy T., dau. Aaron Burt of Syracuse, N. Y., b. in Fayetteville, N. Y., 20 Oct., 1822; d. in Newton, 19 Mch., 1875. Children:—

- i. JOSEPH BURT, b. 2 Jan., 1852; d. 17 Feb., 1855.
 ii. ELLEN BURT, b. 19 Dec., 1855; teacher in West Newton school at various times between 1874-91; matron Westboro' State Reform School, 1881-5; m. 18 Feb., 1886, George Washburn of Medfield.
 iii. ROSA SMITH, b. 12 Jan., 1859; graduate West Newton school, 1868; also New England Conservatory of Music in Boston; teacher of English branches in West Newton school, 1876-81; elocution, 1886-95; member of the Medfield Historical Society, and resides with her father on the homestead.

119. NATHANIEL TOPLIFF⁷, son *Ellis*⁸ (73) b. in Medfield, 29 Sept., 1823; graduated Bridgewater Normal School, 1846; teacher in Mansfield, 1842-3; Northboro', 1843-4 and 1847-8; Northfield, 1844-6; Shrewsbury, 1846-7; principal model department State Normal School at West Newton (the first to be established in the United States), 1848-53; agent in Germany, 1869-70, of United States Commissioners of Education, his report on secondary schools being published; member American Peace Society twenty years and an officer ten years; president Board of Directors of the Pomeroy Home for Orphans in Newton since its incorporation, and ex-president Bridgewater Normal School Association; member National Teachers Association, Institute of Instruction and other educational organizations; an early and active participant in the anti-slavery cause and in providing for the education of the colored people; has been principal of the West Newton school since 1854, being one of its founders. He m. 30 Mch., 1850, Caroline Swift, dau. James N. Bassett, b. in Nantucket, 16 Oct., 1830. Children:—

- i. FANNY BASSETT, b. 21 Feb., 1857; teacher in West Newton school, 1878-84 and 1887-9.
- ii. SARAH CARLOINE, b. at Fort Sumter, Charleston Harbor, S. C., 12 Apr., 1861; graduate of Fröebel Normal Kindergarten Institute, Washington, D. C., 1881; charge of annex for younger boys in West Newton school, 1881-95.
- iii. NATHANIEL TOPLIFF, b. 25 Aug., 1864; d. 25 Apr., 1865.
- iv. LUCY ELLIS, b. 3 May, 1867; graduated Smith's College, A. B., 1889; teacher West Newton school, 1889-95.

120. JAMES THEODORE⁷, son *Ellis*⁸ (73) b. in Medfield, 29 Aug., 1831; graduated Bridgewater Normal School, 1852; Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, B. S., 1855; teacher in Easton, 1849; South Natick, 1850; Provincetown, 1852-3; professor Rensselaer Institute and rector of its training school, 1855-8; student in Europe and the East, 1858-60, and class student in Germany, 1872-4; member Webster Historical Society, National Teachers Association, etc., and ex-president Bridgewater Normal School Association and associate principal of the West Newton school since 1858. He m. in Lynn, 25 Aug., 1860, Caroline Augusta, dau. Dr. Edward A. Kittridge, b. in Dover, Vt., 4 July, 1833. Children:—

152. i. EDWARD ELLIS, b. 1 Aug., 1861.
- ii. JAMES THEODORE, b. 26 Mch., 1863; d. 27 Jan., 1864.
153. iii. FREDERICK CUNNINGHAM, b. 8 Feb., 1865.
- iv. JENNIE CLARK, b. 13 Sept., 186-; graduate West Newton school, 1872, continuing her studies in Frankfort and Berlin, Germany; teacher of piano in West Newton school since 1887.

121. THOMAS SCOTT⁷, son *Asa Smith*⁶ (74) b. 26 July, 1825; studied at Oberlin College, Ohio, and 17 Apr., 1861, enlisted at Madison, Wis.; ten days later promoted to captain; major, 23 Aug.; lieutenant-colonel, 29 Aug., 1862, in the Second Wisconsin Regt., First Army Corps; 26 Jan., 1863, he was made colonel of Fifth Wisconsin Regt., Sixth Army Corps, serving until the close of the war, when, 10 Mch., 1865, he was brevetted brigadier general. He took an active part in every campaign of the Army of the Potomac from the first Bull Run to the surrender at Appomattox; was wounded four times in several different engagements. Returning to Wisconsin at the close of the war he was elected Secretary of State, which office he held four years. In 1870 he became editor of a leading paper in Oshkosh, Wis., where he now resides. He m. 1st, in 1851, Sarah, dau. Gen. Bracken of Lafayette Co., Wis., who d. in Mineral Point, 10 May, 1854; m. 2dly, 18 Apr., 1866, Natalie Weber of Mineral Point. Children:—
- i. ELLEN FRANCES, b. 18 Oct., 1852; m. in 1880, Frederick H. Reid of Oakland, Cal., and has children.
 - ii. HENRY ASA, b. 22 Jan., 1867; a graduate of the U. S. Naval Academy.
 - iii. ALMA CATHERINE, b. 10 Nov., 1869.
 - iv. THOMAS EDWARD, b. 26 July, 1871.
 - v. GEORGIANA, b. 23 Apr., 1873.
 - vi. EMMA BELLE, b. 15 Dec., 1874.
 - vii. MAY NATALIE, b. 5 Oct., 1878.
 - viii. EDWARD WEBER, b. 12 May, 1884.
122. WILLIAM WIRT⁷, son *Asa Smith*⁶ (74) b. in Angelica, N. Y., 3 July, 1832; was hospital steward and assistant surgeon of the Second Wisconsin Regiment during the Rebellion, and was taken prisoner at Gainesville, Va. He m. in 1858, Selah Dennison of Eau Claire, Wis., and d. in Mason City, Io., in Jan., 1877. Children:—
- i. WILLIAM DENNISON, b. 1862.
 - ii. EDWARD, b. 1866.
123. ALBERT BARNES⁷, son *Asa Smith*⁶ (74) b. in Dodgeville, Wis., 10 Sept., 1851; m. 23 Nov., 1882, Hattie M. Hill of Mason City, Io., and resides in Vermont City, So. D. Children:—
- i. JAMES CLIFFORD, b. 4 Nov., 1886; d. 24 Feb., 1887.
 - ii. HARLAND HILL, b. 9 Dec., 1887.
 - iii. MADEL CLARA, b. 8 Feb., 1890.
124. HORATIO FISKE⁷, son *Paineas*⁶ (75) b. 4 Aug., 1831; graduated at Bridgewater Normal School in 1857; teacher in

Massachusetts for several years and now in Cleveland, Ohio. He m. Catherine, dau. Col. Timothy Butterfield of Tyngsboro'. Children:—

- i. MORTIMER BUTTERFIELD, b. 23 Aug., 1857; m. — Dec., 1883. Olive J. Littel of Cleveland, Ohio, and d. 16 Apr., 1884.
 - ii. ELIZABETH WHITFIELD, b. 3 Feb., 1861; m. — June, 1882. Frank B. Berry of Cleveland. Ch.:—1. *Ruth Allen*, b. 27 June, 1883; 2. *Mildred Elizabeth*, b. 7 Oct., 1889.
154. iii. EDGAR FISKE^r, b. 8 May, 1862.
125. ROBERT ALFRED^r, son *Phineas*^h (75) b. 29 July, 1833; served in the Rebellion as hospital steward in the Twenty-second New York Cavalry, and now a druggist in Pomona, Cal. He m. Martha L., dau. Cyrus Turney of New London, Ohio. Children:—
- i. MABEL, b. 15 Jan., 1860.
 - ii. CHARLES FISKE, b. 23 Dec., 1861; d. 25 Mch., 1895.
 - iii. ALFRED EUGENE, b. 8 July, 1866; d. 6 July, 1889.
 - iv. JAMES TURNEY, b. 14 Sept., 1873.
 - v. MARTHA IDA, b. 30 June, 1877.
126. GEORGE EDGAR^r, son *Phineas*^h (75) b. 2 Mch., 1838; served in the U. S. S. "Underwriter" and the "Lockwood" during the Rebellion, after which he graduated at the Boston University and is now a physician in Youngstown, Ohio. He m. Fannie M., dau. James Philips of Boston. Ch.:—
- i. FRANK FARNUM, b. 9 June, 1868
127. LUCIUS WHITING^r, son *Noah*^h (76) b. in Medfield, 5 Aug., 1835; m. 4 Oct., 1864, Almira F. Leeds of Dorchester, and d. 10 Nov., 1880. Children:—
- i. PAULINA FLORENCE, b. 6 Dec., 1866.
 - ii. GEORGE LUCIUS LEEDS, b. 29 Apr., 1869.
128. WILLARD IZLETON^r, son *Willard*^h (77) b. in Medfield, 27 May, 1820; by wife, Catherine ———, had:—
- i. WILLARD AUGUSTUS, b. 19 Mch., 1859.
129. RUEL CLARK^r, son *Willard*^h (77) b. in Medfield, 6 Oct., 1822; m. there, 2 Sept., 1847, Lucy Ann Morgan, at which time his residence was given as Waltham. He had b. in Medfield:—
- i. SARAH, b. 28 Oct., 1857.
130. ALLSTON^r, son *Hezekiah*^h (78) b. in Dover, 30 Sept., 1810; was for several years engaged in the dry goods commission business in New York City. He m. in Lowell, 5 June, 1833, Eliza Richards, dau. Thomas and Jerusha (Currier) Ordway, b. in Amesbury, 25 Dec., 1811; d. in Lowell, 7 Jan., 1886. Children:—

- i. ALLSTON, b. in Lowell, 6 Aug., and d. 9 Aug., 1834.
- ii. JULIA MINARD, b. in Boston, 6 Feb., 1836; m. in Orange, N. J., 24 May, 1859. Charles C. Hutchinson, and d. in Lowell, 15 Aug., 1890. Ch.:— 1. *Frank Allen*, b. in Brighton, 11 June, 1862. 2. *Charles Samuel*, b. in Lowell, 22 Mch., 1871.
- iii. HARRIET, b. in Lowell, 18 Aug., 1838; m. in Brooklyn, N. Y., 22 May, 1867, Capt Charles A. Stillman, U. S. Marine Corps. Ch.:— 1. *Allyn Allston*, b. in Harlem, N. Y., 1 June, 1869. 2. *Harriet*, b. in Weathersfield, Conn., 2 Aug., 1871; m. in Winchester, 23 Oct., 1895, Harry C. Raynes of Lowell. 3. *Allston Webster*, b. in Suffield, Conn., 17 Nov., 1877.
- iv. MARY ORDWAY, b. in Baltimore, Md., 24 Oct., 1840.
- v. FRANK ALLSTON, b. in Baltimore, 2 Dec., 1843; drowned at Newcastle, N. S. W., Australia, 26 Feb., 1800.
- vi. CATHERINE TRACY, b. in Baltimore, 7 July, 1847; m. in Harlem, N. Y., 19 Oct., 1869, Frederic A. Whiting. Ch.:— 1. *Kate*, b. in Elizabeth, N. J., 22 Aug., 1870; m. in Lowell, 19 Oct., 1893, Dr. Frank W. Patch of Framingham. 2. *Frederic Allen*, b. in Oakdale, Tenn., 20 Jan., 1873. 3. *Arthur St. John*, b. in Oakdale, 27 Mch., 1874. 4. *Christine*, b. in Plainfield, N. J., 21 Dec., 1877. 5. *Max Ordway*, b. in Dunellen, N. J., 23 Sept., 1880.
- vii. ELEANOR EUSTIS, b. in Philadelphia, Pa., 17 Jan., 1850.
131. SAMUEL FISHER^r, son *Timothy*⁶ (79) b. 19 Apr., 1822; was a farmer in West Dedham. He m. in Dover, 25 Apr., 1855, Hannah Ellis, b. 19 Apr., 1828; d. 13 Jan., 1893; he d. 5 Oct., 1892. Children:—
- i. LUCY ELLIS, b. 7 June, 1857; m. in Boxboro', 18 Aug., 1880, Joseph Henry Orndorff. Ch.:— 1. *Jennie Allen*, b. 11 Sept., 1881. 2. *Harold Ellis*, b. 31 Oct., 1887.
- ii. JENNIE GERTRUDE, b. 1 Mch., 1866; m. 17 Oct., 1888, Frank Smith of Dover, and d. 21 Nov., 1893.
132. TIMOTHY^r, son *Timothy*⁶ (79) b. 8 Sept., 1825; m. in Dedham, 24 Dec., 1860, Sarah Richardson, b. 22 Aug., 1839; he d. 17 Aug., 1893. Children:—
- i. GEORGE HENRY ALLSTON, b. 20 Jan., 1863; m. — May, 1891, Cora A. Hopkins, and resides in Worcester.
- ii. EMMA FRANCES ALICE, b. 5 Apr., and d. 5 Sept., 1873.
133. JOSEPH HUNT^r, son *Thaddeus*⁶ (80) b. in Boston, 19 Feb., 1817; was for many years clerk of the Municipal Court in So. Boston. He m. in Boston, 3 Sept., 1840, Matilda Coolidge Fearing, and d. —, 1890. Children:—
- i. ALEXANDER HAMILTON, b. 30 Apr., 1844; d. 5 Mch., 1845.
- ii. JOSEPH MARSHALL, b. 21 Dec., 1845.
- iii. CHARLES SMITH, b. 15 June, 1848; d. 8 Sept., 1849.
- iv. ANNIE MATILDA, b. 8 Dec., 1851.
134. JAMES WOODWARD^r, son *Thaddeus*⁶ (80) b. in Boston, 8 Mch., 1824; has been for many years employed in the City Registrar's office, Boston. He m. in Boston, 22 June, 1854, Ella Maria Simonds. Children:—

- i. ELLEN ELIZABETH, b. 11 Apr., 1855.
 ii. CLARA ANN, b. 19 Nov., 1861.
135. AMOS MORRILL⁷, son *Willard*⁶ (82) b. in Deerfield, 31 Mch., 1823; m. 10 May, 1853, Catherine M. ——— of Middletown, Pa. Child:—
 i. MARY ———, b. in Pottsville, Pa., 23 Mch., 1855.
136. WILLIAM PITT⁷, son *Willard*⁶ (82) b. in Deerfield, 10 Mch., 1835; m. 22 May, 1864, Anna Albina Morgan of Northfield. Children:—
 155. i. WILLIAM ARTHUR⁸, b. 15 July, 1865.
 ii. CHARLES CLARE, b. 13 Dec., 1866.
 iii. MARY ELIZABETH, b. 24 Jan., 1870.
 iv. FREDERICK GRANT, b. 5 Mch., 1872.
 v. ANGIA STELLA, b. 1 Sept., 1878.
 vi. BESSIE, b. 6 Sept., 1880; d. in So. Hadley Falls, 17 Jan., 1884.
137. WILLIAM H.⁷, son *William Paley*⁶ (85) b. 18 Aug., 1843; m. 30 Apr., 1867, Sarah H. Simmons of Scituate. Ch.:—
 i. PEREZ, b. 30 Apr., 1869.
 ii. FREDERICK, b. 4 Oct., 1874.
138. HENRY MORRILL⁷, son *Henry Ware*⁶ (86) b. 27 Sept., 1856; m. in Steubenville, Ohio, 14 Oct., 1880, Louisa S. Russell. Children:—
 i. BESSIE MADELINE, b. 8 Nov., 1881.
 ii. HENRY RUSSELL, b. 1 Nov., 1883.
 iii. BERTHA ADELAIDE, b. 22 Jan., 1889.
139. HORACE⁷, son *Henry Ware*⁶ (86) b. 16 Sept., 1860; m. in Troy, Ohio, 24 Dec., 1883, Kate E. Skinner. Children:—
 i. AMY, b. 9 Oct., 1885.
 ii. MARY, b. 9 Aug., 1888.
 iii. KATHERINE, b. 6 Mch., 1890.
140. GEORGE ALBERT⁸, son *David C.*⁷ (103) b. in Leominster, 26 Mch., 1845; m. 26 June, 1870, Ellen Louise Davis, b. in Holliston, 30 June, 1843. Child:—
 i. CORA BELLE, b. 25 Nov., 1874.
141. THOMAS OTIS⁸, son *Otis*⁷ (105) b. in Lowell, 29 Apr., 1835; m. in Medford, 21 Sept., 1856, Charlotte Augusta, dau. John and Charlotte (Atwood) Pierce of Lowell. Ch.:—
 i. EDWARD AUGUSTUS, b. in Lowell, 9 Nov., 1857.
 ii. JANE LOUISA, b. in Lowell, 16 Dec., 1859.
 iii. OTIS, b. in Jacksonville, Fa., 20 Jan., 1869.
142. CHARLES HERBERT⁸, son *Otis*⁷ (105) b. in Lowell, 15 Apr., 1848; graduated at Amherst College in 1869, B. A.; A. M., 1872; representative to General Court, 1881–2; Senate.

1883; elected to Congress in 1884 and 1886, declining a third term in 1888. He m. in Manchester, N. H., 10 Nov., 1870, Harriet Coleman Dean. Ch. b. in Lowell.

i. BERTHA, b. 2 Apr., 1872.

ii. LOUISE, b. 25 Feb., 1875.

143. EDWARD FRANKLIN^s, son *Asahel Plimpton*^r (106) b. in Worcester, 16 Aug., 1833; m. in Boston, — Aug., 1864, Fanny Woland, and resides in Brookline. Ch. :—

i. EDWARD R., b. 15 Sept., 1865; d. 10 Oct., 1866.

144. GEORGE L.^s, son *Asahel Plimpton*^r (106) b. in Lancaster, N. H., 6 Jan., 1845; changed his first name to *Charles*, and resides in Wausau, Wis., where he m. 4 May, 1873, Mary Hight. Children :—

i. LILIAN M., b. 31 July, 1874

ii. RAY, b. 7 July, 1876; d. 20 Apr., 1880.

iii. GEORGE, b. 14 Aug., 1878.

iv. BERTIE, b. 22 Apr., 1880; d. 16 Aug., 1882.

v. CLAUDE, b. 30 June, 1882.

vi. FRANK, b. 3 Apr., 1884.

vii. ARCHIE, b. 1 Sept., 1886.

145. RUSSELL CARPENTER^s, son *Joseph Henry*^r (112) b. in Jamaica Plain (Boston), 27 Jan., 1859; graduated at Harvard College, 1880, and now resides in National City, Cal. He m. 28 Feb., 1888, Ella Bradford, dau. Robert Morris Copeland. Children :—

i. MORRIS COPELAND, b. 11 Jan., 1889.

ii. RICHARD MINOT, b. 24 Apr., 1890.

iii. ELEANOR BRADFORD, b. 27 Oct., 1891.

146. KENNETH^s, son *Edward A. H*^r (114) b. in New Bedford, 6 Apr., 1857; graduated (C. E.) at Rensselaer Institute, Troy, N. Y., 1879, and now resides in Baltimore, Md. He m. in Northboro', 11 Sept., 1886, Rosalia Whitman, dau. John Augustus S. and Mary Ellen S. Switzer. Children :—

i. EDWARD SWITZER, b. in Kansas City, Mo., 12 Dec., 1887.

ii. HAROLD AMES, b. in Kansas City, 3 Feb., 1889.

iii. RUSSELL, b. in Yonkers, N. Y., 27 May, 1895.

147. HENRY WARE^s, son *Edward A. H*^r (114) b. in New Bedford, 6 July, 1861; agent Kansas City Smelting and Refining Co., City of Mexico, 1891-3; assistant treasurer Arkansas Valley Smelting Co.; resides in El Paso, Texas. He m. in Kansas City, Mo., 18 June, 1890, Marie A., dau. John Augustus S. and Mary Ellen S. Switzer. Ch. :—

i. MARGARET ELIZABETH, b. in New York City, 17 June, 1891.

ii. GERARD, b. in El Paso, Texas, 17 Oct., 1895.

148. WILLIAM COGGIN^s, son *William Cooper*^r (116) b. 23 Oct., 1844; was a machinist and master workman, and was killed by falling walls in Augusta, Ga., 5 Mch., 1886; he m. Frances C. Garrison. Children:—

- i. WILLIAM ELLIS, b. 25 Mch., 1869.
- ii. HARRIET GRAZIELLA, b. 25 Sept., 1870.
- iii. JOHN FRANCIS, b. 16 Apr., 1872.
- iv. GEORGE EDWARD, b. 5 Feb., 1875.
- v. FRANK SHERWOOD, b. 22 Dec., 1876; d. 19 Nov., 1877.
- vi. NATHANIEL JONES, b. 16 July, 1880.
- vii. JOSEPH CLEMENT, b. 10 July, 1883; d. 6 Oct., 1883.
- viii. ERNEST EVERETT, b. 6 Jan., 1885; d. 10 July, 1885.

149. CHARLES THEODORE^s, son *William Cooper*^r (116) b. in Medfield, 3 Feb., 1848; m. in Holyoke, 20 Apr., 1868. Eva M. Nokes, and resides in West Newton. Children:—

- i. HARRIET ISABELLA, b. 22 Nov., 1870.
- ii. NATHANIEL LEWIS, b. 20 May, 1872.
- iii. CHARLES THEODORE, b. 30 May, 1874; d. 27 May, 1881.
- iv. GEORGE EDWARD, b. 28 Sept., 1876.
- v. ERNEST WILLIAM EVERETT, b. 19 Dec., 1878.
- vi. MINNIE GERTRUDE, b. 22 Feb., 1881.
- vii. ROBERT CARL SHERWIN, b. 2 Jan., 1884.

150. FRANCIS SHERWIN^s, son *William Cooper*^r (116) b. in Medfield, 8 Oct., 1856; graduated Massachusetts Agricultural College, B. S., 1882; American Veterinary College, D. V. S., 1884; University City of New York, M. D., 1886; chief surgeon for Insurance Co., and student of pathology and bacteriology, University of Penn., 1886-92; member U. S. Veterinary Medical Association and Penn. Veterinary Society; resides in Philadelphia. He m. in Athens, Pa., 22 Feb., 1887, Maria Belle Allen, who d. 17 Jan., 1891. Ch.:—

- i. HOWARD SHERWIN, b. 16 Jan., 1891.

151. JAMES FREDERICK^s, son *William Cooper*^r (116) b. in Medfield, 28 Feb., 1858; m. in Medway, 28 Nov., 1878, Mary E. Kerne, and resides in Medway. Children:—

- i. THEODORE MORTIMER, b. 17 May, 1879; d. 22 Sept., 1880.
- ii. GRAZIELLA BADGER, b. 2 Apr., 1881.
- iii. BERTHA LOUISE, b. 9 Dec., 1882; d. in Medfield, 23 Feb., 1896.
- iv. LOUISA MARION, b. 17 Dec., 1884.
- v. ROSA BELLE, b. 8 Jan., 1887.
- vi. ROLAND HALFORD, b. 30 Aug., 1890.

152. EDWARD ELLIS^s, son *James Theodore*^r (120) b. in West Newton, 1 Aug., 1861; graduated Harvard College, 1884; Harvard Medical School; teacher of the blind, 1885-90; superintendent Pennsylvania Institute for the Blind, 1890-5;

contributor of magazine articles on the blind. He m. in Springfield, 9 July, 1891, Katharine Francena, dau. Abner Ensign and Francena Day (Leonard) Gibbs, and resides in Philadelphia, Pa. Ch. :—

i. ISABEL STURTEVANT, b. in Philadelphia, 4 July, 1894.

153. FREDERICK CUNNINGHAMⁿ, son *James Theodore*^r (120) b. in West Newton, 8 Feb., 1865; student Massachusetts Agricultural College, 1884-7, and now with George H. Morrill & Co., printers' inks, New York City. He m. there, 26 May, 1894, Charlotte, dau. William and Agnes (Pecant) Jukes. Ch. :—

i. JAMES THEODORE, b. 28 Apr., 1895.

154. EDGAR FISKEⁿ, son *Horatio Fiske*^r (124) b. 8 May, 1862; m. in June, 1886, Blanche, dau. Timothy Wood of New London, Ohio. Children :—

i. FRANK BERRY, b. 2 Nov., 1887.

ii. HOMER EDGAR, b. 30 July, 1889.

155. WILLIAM ARTHURⁿ, son *William Pitt*^r (136) b. in Deerfield, 15 July, 1865; m. 10 Aug., 1889, Caroline Belle Persons. Ch. :—

i. CHARLES LESLIE, b. in So. Hadley Falls, 3 May, 1890.

ADDENDA.

- No. 43. See page 32. In list of children of Wm. Pitt :
- i. REUBEN, b. 13 Sept., 1789; m. Mary Shedd of Medford, who d. in 1826; he d. in 1821, leaving an only child.
 - Mary, b. in Dover, 10 Apr., 1812; m. there, 26 Nov., 1829. Elias Hasket Derby, who d. in 1840; she d. at Newton Corner, 7 May, 1883. Ch.:—
 1. Sarah Ellen, b. 21 Feb., 1831; m. — Apr., 1848, William Rogers, who d. 22 June, 1889. Ch.:—1. *Mannela F.*, b. 5 May, 1849; m. 3 Nov., 1880, Frank Harding. 2. *Annie Derby*, b. 17 May, 1851; m. 10 June, 1869, F. C. Humphrey of Hingham, and d. in May, 1872, leaving two children. 3. *Henry Derby*, b. 29 Aug., 1853; m. 19 Oct., 1881, Emma Freeman, and resides in Needham; (has one child, *Henry S.*, b. 3 Oct., 1882.) 4. *Elizabeth P. Derby*, b. 29 Nov., 1868; m. 24 Sept., 1885, L. W. Folsom, and resides in Boston.
 2. *Richard C.*, b. 3 Oct., 1834; captain Co. C. Fifteenth Regt. Mass. Vols., and was instantly killed in Battle of Antietam, 17 Sept., 1862.
 3. *Benjamin Pickman*, b. 6 June, 1837; d. — Dec., 1844.
- No. 65 See page 37. In list of children of Jeremiah :
- i. MARY, b. in West Newton 22 Jan., 1806; m. 14 Oct., 1830, Ralph Day of Dover; d. in No. Cambridge 4 June, 1887; she died there 2 June, 1889. Ch. — all b. in No. Cambridge:
 1. *Ardelia Adelaide*, b. 3 Feb., 1832; m. 21 Dec., 1871, William Hiram Andrews, who d. 6 Feb., 1877.
 2. *Alphonso Convers*, b. 29 Aug., 1833; m. 30 Dec., 1869, Elnora Blanchard of Cumberland Centre, Me., and resides in Los Angeles, Cal.
 3. *Charles Augustus*, b. 14 Oct., 1835; m. 27 Nov., 1859, Clarissa Beach Fisher of Michigan, who d. 24 Sept., 1864. Resides in Milwaukee, Wis.
 4. *Warren Fisher*, b. 15 Oct., 1837; d. 11 Jan., 1840.
 5. *Lavinia Fisher*, b. 20 Dec., 1839; d. 18 Feb., 1864.
 6. *An infant son*, b. 29 Dec., 1844; d. soon
- No. 104. See page 50. AUGUSTUS⁷, son *Jeremiah*⁶ (65). b. 30 Jan., 1817; m. 1st Maria Davis; m. 2dly in June, 1859, Almira K. Haven of Hopkinton, and d. in West Newton, 18 Nov., 1895. Children:—
- i. ALFRED JEREMIAH, b. 31 July, 1850; resides in Newtonville; m. in Boston, 9 July, 1884, Martha A. Sanford. Ch.:—1. *Clifford Woodbury*, b. 28 Mch., 1885. 2. *Bessie*, b. 19 Dec., 1887.
 3. *Laura*, b. 9 Dec., 1889.
 - ii. EMMA ADELAIDE, b. 13 Aug., 1856; unmarried.
 - iii. HARRIET AUGUSTA, b. 7 Nov., 1857; unmarried.
 - iv. DORA ALMIRA, b. 22 Nov., 1861; a teacher in West Newton.
 - v. WALTER AUGUSTUS, b. 10 Oct., 1863; manager of a lumber company in Waltham, and resides in West Newton.
 - vi. PEARLEY ROCKWOOD, b. 3 Sept., 1865; resides in West Newton, being engaged in the milk business
- No. 119. See page 55. In list of children of Nathaniel T. :
- SARAH CAROLINE, m. in West Newton, 12 Sept., 1895, P. H. Cooney, Esq., of Natick, ex-district attorney of Middlesex County

APPENDIX.

A. — PAGE 11.

A BRIEF SKETCH OF REV. JOHN ALLIN.
THE FIRST MINISTER OF
DEDHAM, MASS

JOHN ALLIN was a son of Reginald Allin of Colby, Norfolk County, England, and was baptized there 22 May, 1597, and matriculated at Caius College, Cambridge, the record reading —

Allen, John, of Colby, Norfolk, son of Reginald Allen, gent.; School, North Walsham, under Mr. Tyllas, three years, age 16. Admitted Scholar, lit. grat. April 27, 1612. Tutor and surety Mr. Thomas Weatherell, fellow.*

He took bachelor's degree in 1615 and master's in 1619.

The paper,* by the late Professor William F. Allen of Madison, Wis., seems to leave no doubt as to the identity of John Allin of Colby and the first minister of Dedham, Mass., one of the strongest arguments in its favor being the similarity of the signatures; the first of which was written when he took his master's degree, and the second in Dedham, some fifty years later. The fac-similes here shown were kindly furnished by the late Professor Allen. Other facts tending to prove the identity are, that being a Puritan he would have studied at Cambridge and at Caius College, and we have already seen (vide p. 11) that his father left by will a certain sum to be paid at stated periods "towards maintaining him at college at Cambridge," and the registers of that University show no other of the name whose age at all corresponds †

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It is difficult to determine in what year he sailed for America, as he was forced to leave England in disguise and probably under an assumed name. He came in company with Mr. Fiske, who was subsequently the first minister of Chelmsford, Mass., and we learn that after passing the Land's End "they entertained the passengers with two sermons a day, besides other agreeable discourse and devotional exercises, which filled the voyage with so much religion

* New Eng. Hist. Gen. Reg. liii. 267.

† Reg. xlii. 260.

that one of the passengers being examined because of diverting himself with a hook and line on the Lord's day, he protested 'that he did not know when the Lord's day was; he thought every day was a Sabbath, for they did nothing but pray and preach all the week long.'"*

The subject of this sketch first appears in Dedham under date 18 July, 1637, when he —

with diurse others being ppownded to sit downe with vs onely in the same condiõn they are accepted to doe pvided y^e they bring certificate from y^e magistrates according to the order of Court as they ought to doe.†

The above conditions complied with, we find him present at a town meeting held 28 Nov. following, from which time he took an active part in town affairs, and it is probable that he at once began the formation of a church, though it was not fully organized until 1638. The proceedings were written out by him as "A brief history of y^e Church of Christ (gathered) in his name, at Dedha' in New England y^e 8th day of y^e 9th month 1638." The manuscript is still extant and has been printed in full in the second volume of the Dedham Records. It contains a minute account of the formation of the church, the manner of selecting and ordaining the pastor and other officers, and is of much historical value in throwing light upon the ecclesiastical history of that period.

He became a man of much prominence in the colony, serving as a member of many important committees. Some difficulty arising between the colony and the mother country, the matter was referred to the ruling elders of the several churches, and he was made chairman and delivered their opinion.‡ On the 17 Oct., 1643, the General Court granted him land as follows:—

Mr John Allin the pastor of Dedham is granted 200 ac of land to be layd out by Eleazar Lusher & Edward Rice.§

This grant was located at "Bogastow," on the Charles river, at the present town of Medfield. When the Synod met in Cambridge—15 Sept., 1648,—for the purpose of forming a system of church government, he was appointed to preach the sermon, taking his text from Acts xv., the discourse being "a very godly, learned and particular handling of near all the doctrines and applications concerning that subject, with a clear refutation of such errors, objections and scruples as had been raised about it by some young heads in the country."*†

He was elected an Overseer of Harvard College 18 Oct., 1654,*‡ and at the October session of the General Court in 1656 was chosen with Mather, Bulkley, Chauncey and Whiting on a com-

* Allen's Hist. Chelmsford, Mass., p. 121.

† Dedham Records iii. 32.

‡ Winthrop's Journal ii. 232-1825 ed.

§ Mass. Col. Rec. ii. 52.

*† Winthrop ii. 330.

* Mass. Col. Rec. iv. pt. 1, p. 204.

mittee of thirteen to meet 5 June, 1657, "to consult and debate" the so-called thirty questions.

Receiving large grants of land from the town he became, like many ministers of that day, a well to-do-farmer, possessing a goodly stock of cattle, and a house consisting of a parlor, kitchen and buttery on the first floor, with sleeping rooms above.

Jonhson says:—

"They [Dedham] called to the office of pastor the reverend, humble and heavenly minded Mr. John Allin, a man of very courteous behaviour, full of sweet Christian love toward all and with much meekness of spirit, contending earnestly for the faith and peace of Christ's children."

He was greatly loved by his people, who, after his death, published the last two of his sermons, "writing their preface in tears." * The town voted to raise money "for the paym^t of the charge of our late Reuer^d Pasto^rs Mr John Allin his funerall," † and at a town-meeting held 11 Mch., 1671—

It was ordered by Gen^l consent that conuenient Tombe or monument of stone and lime mortar and covered with meet Timber be erected ouer the Graue of our late Reuer^d Pasto^r and an inscription cut thereon with the date of his death. ‡

Of his published works the following list appears:§

1648 a, "Paper marking the just limitations of colonial allegiance and imperial right." "The Voice of the Colony against Parliament."

"A Defence of the Answer made unto the Nine Questions, or Positions, sent from New England against the Reply of that Rev^d Servant of Christ, Mr. John Ball, entitled, Tryall of the New Church Way in New England, and in Old. Wherein, besides a more full opening of Sundry Particulars concerning Liturgies, Power of the Keys, Matter of the Visible Church, &c., is more largely handled that controversy concerning the Catholic Visible Church, tending to clear up the Old Way of Christ in New England Churches.

By John Allin } Pastor of { Dedham } Lon. 1648.
 Tho. Shepard } { Cambridge } in N. E.

"Animadversions upon the Antisynodalia Americana, a Treatise Printed in Old England in the Name of the Dissenting Brethren in the Synod held at Boston, 1662." Cambridge, S. G[reen] and M. J[ohnson] for Hezekiah Usher, 1664, 4^o pp (6) 82.

Two Sermons—"The Spouse of Christ," delivered at the administration of the Lord's Supper, Aug. 16, 1671, and "The Lord Jesus, His Legacy of Peace," being the last that he preached before his death. Cambridge, 1692.**

He was married in Wrentham, Suffolk-County, England, 22 Oct., 1622, to Margaret Morse, and had baptized there 24 Oct., 1624, a son John, at which time he appears to have been a resident of Denton, a village near Wrentham.* † His wife Margaret died in Dedham, 1 May, 1653, and he married secondly, 8 Nov. following, Katherine, widow of Gov. Dudley; and died 26 Aug., 1671, "after an easy sickness of ten days . . . his beloved wife Katherine died three days after; both were buried in the same grave."** ‡

* Mather's Magnalia.

† Dedham Records, iv. 206.

‡ Ibid, iv. 213.

§ Dedham Records, ii. introduction p. xii.

** These sermons were reprinted in the "Dedham Pulpit" in 1840.

* † New Eng. Hist. Gen. Reg. xlii. 267.

* † Magnalia.

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WILL OF JAMES ALLIN OF MEDFIELD.

In the yeare of our Lord: 1676: the: 23: day of the seaventh moth I James Allin of Medfeilld in the County of Suffulke in new England being by the good hand of god preserved to old age and being there by and other infirmities attending the same yet in mind of my change and considering that it is my duty to prepaire for Death that I be not unprepared when it shall com I have thought fitt to make this my Last will and testament in maner and form as ffolloweth viz first I give and bequea my soull into the armes of Jesus Christ my deere redemer and as flor my bodye I comit it to the earth after my deces to be Christianly buried at the Descretion of my Xecutors and as for my worltdly goodes which god of his mercy have given me I Doe Disspose of them in maner as ffolloweth viz I give and bequeath unto my son Nathanell Allin sixe acres of upland lyeing and being in Medfeilld neer maple Swamp bounded with the Comon Land on all y^t as all soe two acres of meadow Land the one acre Lyeing up strem on Charles river the other acre Lyeing upon a small brook calld mill brook all Soe I give unto the said Nathanell Allin six pound to be payd by my Executor in good and currant Cuntry pay with in the space of one full year after my Decease And I give and bequeath unto my son in law Joseph Clark and his heires for ever all that my house Lott with all my buillding thereupon both Dwelling houses barnes and Leantoes with all the Orchards and gardings belonging thereunto with all my other Landes both upland meadow and Swampes now Lyeing and being in Medfeilld not flormerlly Dissposed of with all rights and prevelidges belonging thereunto with all my housholld goodes and moveables still provided: first that the said Joseph Clark Doe Duely and careffully provid for me Duering the tarme of my naturall Liffè both flood and Rayment Sutable to my condition with what soe ever else may be needfull and convenient flor the preservation and comfort of my Liffè whilist I live in this worlld and a christan buriall when ever it shall please god to take me hence 2^{dly} that when ever it shall please the Lord to take me out of this worlld that what Soe ever shall then remaine of what my houses Landes and moveables above speasified: given and granted in this my Last will and Testament unto the abovesaid Joseph Clark the thirten pound a yeare with the produce of my estate Dewring the

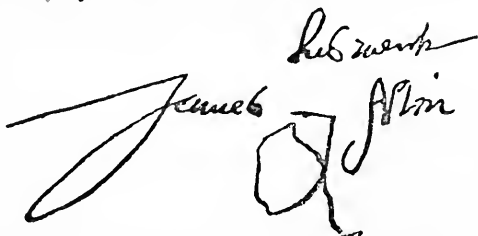
tarme of my naturall Liffie excepted) shall be Devided amongst my children as followeth viz first I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Sarah Whit Wiffe to Domingo Whit of Lin six pound and to my Daughter Mathew Saben Wiff to William Sabin of Rehoboth five pound over and above there equalle share with the rest of my children iff my estate shall amount to more then thirty pound when it shall pleas god to take me away (to be payd them with in the space of one full yeare after my decease in good and curant contry pay but if it should pleas the Lord to Lenthen out my Life soe as what I leave should not com to thirty pound then they to have each of them but duple share and further my will is that what y^t of my estate is Left when it shall pleas god to take me away there shares shall be payd yearlye to them not exceding forty shillings p year to each of them nor less then flortye shillings a year if there be estat lefte the which said shares shall be payd some time in the second yeare after my Decease and soe yearlye acording to what estate is Left to be payd in Contry pay or som of the remote Landes and I Doe hereby rattifie and confirme unto and upon all my sones all such Landes *all such Landes* as have bene given them by me formerly and I Doe heereby constitute appoint and ordaine my Loveing and wellbeloved son in law Joseph Clark Executor this my Last will and Testament to the intent that he shall see the same efectually pformed according to my true intent and mening therein and to him I commit and give full power and trust for the execution thereof and I doe all Soe nominate and appoint my trusty and well beloved freind George Barbur of Medfield Suproviser of this my Last will and testament Desireing that he would be Ayding and Assisting to my Executor in the execution thereof and I Doe heerby utterly rovoke all other willes and bequeatthalls what soe ever by me formerly made at any and in token that this is my Last will and Testement written & contained in this sheeth of paper I have heere unto put my hand and affixed my Seall this three and twenty of the seaventh moth in the yeare of our Lord one thousand six hundred seventy & six.

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MARY, dau. Timothy and Rebecca (Eames) Allen, b. in Dedham (now Dover), 1 Sept., 1777; m. in Ashford, Conn., 8 June, 1797, John Newman, son of Benjamin and Bridget (Perry) Sumner, b. in Ashford, Conn., 7 Dec., 1775; d. in Providence, R. I., 17 Aug., 1831; she d. 8 Mch., 1835. Ch. all b. in Ashford, Conn.

i. BRIDGET PERRY.

ii. MARY, m. Samuel Bowen of Thompson, Conn.

iii. JOHN NEWMAN, b. 17 Dec., 1807; m. 6 June, 1830, Deborah West Fuller of Montrose, Pa., b. 13 Apr., 1813; d. in Scranton, Pa., 20 June, 1880; he d. in Williamsport, Pa., 21 Oct., 1850. Ch.:—

1. MARY, } b. in Lowell 2 Nov., 1833, { d. in infancy.

2. ELIZABETH, } } d. in Geneva, N.Y., 1854.

3. JOHN NEWMAN, b. in Woodstock, Conn., — May, 1835; d. in Williamsport, Pa., — Jan., 1851.

4. ALFRED WRIGHT, b. in Providence, R. I., 4 Feb., 1839; m. 13 Oct., 1885, Mary Roberts Wilson, b. 15 May, 1857. Ch.:— 1. *John Newman*, b. in Baltimore, Md., 28 June, 1886. 2. *A daughter*.

iv. TIMOTHY, b. 13 Sept., 1811; m. in Boston, 16 Dec., 1834, Caroline, dau. Samuel Bates of Boston, and d. there 10 June, 1859. Ch., all b. in Boston:—

1. CAROLINE BATES, b. 31 May and d. 9 Sept., 1836.

2. ELLEN CHARLOTTE, b. 28 May, 1838; d. 18 Feb., 1846.

3. ALLEN MELANCTHON, b. 31 Jan., 1844; m. 3 Mch., 1868, Ellen Frances, dau. Benjamin F. Prescott of Boston. Ch.:— 1. *Margaret Bradlee*, b. 19 Mch., 1875.

4. ADELE CAROLINE, b. 12 Apr. and d. 12 Sept., 1849.

v. BENJAMIN, b. 6 Dec., 1817; m. in 1847, Susan W., dau. William Lyon of Woodstock, Conn. Ch., all born in Woodstock:—

1. WILLIAM LYON, b. 21 July, 1848; d. 12 Aug., 1872.

2. GARDNER HUBBARD, b. 27 Dec., 1858.

The descendants of REBECCA (ALLEN) SMITH—see page 31—are as follows:—

MELANCTHON SMITH, son of Rebecca, b. in Dover 28 Apr., 1806; m. in Boston 20 Jan., 1829, Lucy Ann, dau. Joseph and Ann (Ballard) Hunt, b. in Concord 5 Jan., 1809; d. in Jamaica Plain (Boston) 19 Feb., 1867; he d. 10 July, 1861. Children:—

- i. CHARLES HUNT, b. 5 Dec., 1829; d. 22 Mch., 1850.
- ii. EDWARD MELANTHON, b. 16 Nov., 1835.
- iii. CAROLINE SUMNER, b. 31 Jan., 1837; d. 24 July, 1862.
- iv. MARY ASHTON, b. 21 Mch., 1841; m. 13 Jan., 1869, Samuel Holmes, and d. 1 Dec., 1890. Ch.:—*Henry Melancthon*.

ORLANDO SMITH, son Rebecca, b. in Ashford, Conn., 4 July, 1811; m. in Boston 13 Nov., 1836, Mary Harriet Oliver Brummett and d. there 23 Mch., 1865. Ch.:—

- i. ORLANDO MARSHALL, b. in Dover, 13 Jan., 1838; m. in San Antonio, Texas, 28 June, 1869, Anna Luella Scodrock. Ch.:— 1. *Edward Orlando*, b. 4 June, 1870. 2. *Maud Alma*, b. 13 Apr., 1872; d. 24 Nov., 1877. 3. *Beulah Ardele*, b. 20 Nov., 1874. 4. *Blanche Ashley*, b. 16 Feb., 1876. 5. *Clarence Keyes*, b. 21 Sept., 1878. 6. *Clara Nina*, b. 7 Feb., 1885.
- ii. CHARLOTTE HELEN, b. in Urbana, Va., 29 Apr., 1840; m. in New York City, 8 Jan., 1869, Otis Augustus Thompson.
- iii. HARRIET ALLEN, b. in Boston, 12 May, 1845; m. in New York City, 27 May, 1879, John Curtiss, who d. 11 Aug., 1883. Ch.:— 1. *Harriet Ashley*, b. 13 Sept., 1880.
- iv. EDWARD WHITRIDGE, b. in Boston, 7 July, 1848.
- v. CLARA COBB, b. in Quincy, 28 Jan., 1850.

ABNER LEWIS SMITH, son of Rebecca, b. in Dover 22 Jan, 1823; m. in Dover 10 June, 1849, Mary Williams Howe, and d. there 15 Aug., 1876. Ch. all b. in Dover.

- i. CHARLES HUNT, b. 5 Apr., 1850; m. in Dedham, 17 Nov., 1876, Mary H. Humphrey. Ch.:— 1. *Bessie M.*, b. 6 Apr., 1877. 2. *Maud Clara*, b. 1 Oct., 1880. 3. *Abner Humphrey*, b. 24 Oct., 1882. 4. *Edith Hardy*, b. 24 Sept., 1884.
- ii. ALLEN FRANCIS, b. 27 Sept., 1852.
- iii. GEORGE MELANTHON, b. 14 Nov., 1854.

WILLIAM FRANCIS SMITH, son of Rebecca, b. in Dover 16 Dec., 1826; m. 1st in Somerville 10 Apr., 1850, Caroline S. Cobb, who d. in Cleveland, O., 19 May, 1861; m. 2dly in Philadelphia, Pa., 14 May, 1863, Annie Page Cobb, who d. 5 June, 1865; he d. in Cleveland, O., 11 Aug., 1878. Ch.:—

- i. ANNIE FRANCES, b. 17 June, 1852; m. 1st 26 Oct., 1870, Robert F. Hurlburt, who d. 27 Oct., 1878; m. 2dly at Delaware, O., 15 Nov., 1883, Starling Loring. Ch.:— *Caroline Gale*, b. 9 Sept., 1871; d. 29 Oct., 1873.
- ii. FRANK COBB, b. 15 Jan., 1854; m. in Delaware, O., 8 May, 1877, Lydia B. Myers. Ch.:— 1. *Robert Blee*, b. 17 Oct., 1878. 2. *Annie Louisa*, b. 6 June, 1883.

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